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Weather

Rainy and misty weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 52.5 and the minimum 45.9, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 59.4 and 46.8.

MOVE TO CUT DOWN BRITISH BUDGET LOST BY BIG VOTE

Liberal Member Fails To Get Reduction Of 100 Million Pounds

FOLLOWS DEBATE

National Debt Lowered And Optimism Shown For Export Future

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 18.—The debate on high prices was resumed in the House of Commons today. Sir Donald Maclean (Liberal) moved a reduction of the civil service estimates by £100,000,000. He urged that the proceeds of the sale of surplus war stores should go to reduction of the floating debt.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, agreed to the importance of reduction of the floating debt. He pointed out that the Government had begun to reduce the national debt and had ceased to borrow in order to balance current expenditure. He expressed concern with regard to the extraordinary expansion of business in the promotion of companies which, he said, tended to result in increased competition for limited supplies of material and labor. In his opinion those businesses or re-capitalizing businesses on the basis of present inflated profits were taking a dangerous course.

MUST WATCH CREDIT CHANCELLOR DECLARES

The Chancellor of the Exchequer emphasized that the Government alone could not carry out the reduction of credit. The Chancellor said that the Government must watch credit. He pointed out that the civil service estimates of £557,000,000 were made up as follows: £48,000,000 for purely accounting charges; £55,000,000 for the bread subsidy, which Mr. Chamberlain agreed should be ended as quickly as possible; £23,000,000 owed to the railways for maintenance and renewal during the war; £15,000,000 for coal, of which £12,000,000 was repayable with interest; £38,000,000 for loans to the Allies including £10,000,000 for relief loans to Central Europe and £8,000,000 for relief and reconstruction of Belgium.

In spite of his warning that new expenditure must involve provision for new revenue, the House of Commons had sanctioned £10,000,000 additional for old age pensions; £11,500,000 for Housing Subsidy, £3,000,000 for war pensions to the civil service, £23,000,000 for unemployment donations and re-employment of ex-officers; £123,000,000 for war pensions and £15,000,000 additional for education. This made a total of £248,000,000 out of the total of £557,000,000, of which he did not believe that one penny could be challenged. Mr. Chamberlain therefore asked how he could save in these circumstances.

MOTION REJECTED 258 VOTES TO 80

Sir Robert Horne, President of the Board of Trade winding up the debate said that during the first quarter of 1920 he had paid off an appreciable portion of our debt and had reduced the number of notes in circulation. He believed that the country's financial position was improving daily and there was no cause for apprehension or despair. He was optimistic with regard to the exports outlook.

Sir Donald Maclean's motion was rejected by 258 votes to 80.

PROFITING COMBINE IN LAMP INDUSTRY

London, March 18.—The report of the Sub-Committee enquiring into profit-making in the electric lamp industry has been made public. It states that there exists a trade combination, including 90 to 95 percent of the industry, controlling factors and retailers, fixing prices at all stages and regulating output. The report considers that the standard vacuum lamps now sold to the public at 3/- could be sold for 2/- and still leave a satisfactory working profit and also that the trading discounts are considerably higher than necessary and should be reduced.

The report further states that one and a quarter million half-watt lamps sold to the public in 1919 at 12/6 were purchased in Holland by the trust for about 5/- each and would have left a small margin of profit if they were sold at 12/6.

Gaby Deslys Dead



Gaby Deslys

Gaby Deslys, dancer and actress, is dead. The famous theatrical star succumbed in Paris after several months' illness. In a recent highly painful operation she astounded the doctors with her remarkable courage and optimism. Gaby Deslys first gained publicity by the infatuation of former King Manuel of Portugal for her. She made her first appearance in the United States in 1911, when she played in New York. She was an instantaneous hit. She returned again in 1915 and met with considerable success. Her real name was Hedy Novratil. She was born in Vienna of Galician parents.

POLICE IN RAID SEIZE EIGHT AS ROBBERS' CHIEFS

Seven Men And One Woman Taken As Instigators Of Highwaymen

BROKEN JEWELRY FOUND

Articles Believed To Have Been Taken On Streets Are Recovered

With the arrest of seven men and one woman in the Harbin Road district, the police believe they have captured the ring-leaders in a highwaymen's organization which has been operating in Shanghai since Chinese New Year. The suspects were arraigned in the Mixed Court before British Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Loh yesterday and the case was remanded for two weeks.

An exciting chase by a Sikh policeman who caught one of the suspects when he attempted to escape was a feature of a raid made Thursday on what is said to be the headquarters of the band at 406 Chaoufoong Road. When Chinese constables, attached to the special detail under Detective Inspector Cruikshank, raided the house one of the men made a bolt for liberty and the Sikh set out in pursuit. And after a chase the Indian policeman got his man.

PLENTY OF ARMS

When Inspector Cruikshank sent his men to raid the place they found three revolvers and one automatic pistol together with a quantity of ammunition for all guns. Other articles seized were a quantity of jewelry, which had been broken up, and articles believed to have been taken in an armed robbery at 359 Halla Road. Efforts are being made now to reconstruct the broken jewelry that it may be identified, although the task is difficult because many of the gems have been removed and their settings badly mutilated. Pawn tickets found in the house are being used as a clue to evidence that the police believe will be effective in making out their case.

HIGHWAYMEN ACTIVE

The International Settlement has been infested since Chinese New Year with armed robbers who have been operating boldly in the highways. Mr. Cruikshank and his men have been on the alert in an effort to capture them but not until Thursday did they receive information which warranted the raid.

It was the opinion of police officials yesterday that the evidence obtained in the raid is sufficient to show that the men in custody were the ringleaders of the gang and that the woman was the keeper of their rendezvous.

President Wilson's Letter To Hitchcock Wherein He Accepted Some Reservations

The President's letter to Senator Hitchcock, written after the break-up of the bipartisan conference and made public in Washington on February 7, follows:

The White House.

Jan. 26, 1920.

My Dear Senator Hitchcock:

I have greatly appreciated your thoughtful kindness in keeping me informed concerning the conference, you and some of your colleagues have had with spokesman of the Republican Party concerning the possibility of ratification of the treaty of peace, and send this line in special appreciative acknowledgment of your letter of the 22nd. I return the clipping you were kind enough to enclose.

To the substance of it I, of course, adhere. I am bound to, like yourself, I am solemnly sworn to obey and maintain the Constitution of the United States. But I think the form of it very unfortunate. Any reservation or resolution stating that "the United States assumes no obligation under such and such an article unless or except" would, I am sure, chill our relationship with the nations with which we expect to be associated in the great enterprise of maintaining the world's peace.

That association must in any case, my dear Senator, involve very serious and far-reaching implications of honor and duty which I am sure we shall never in fact be desirous of ignoring. It is the more important not to create the impression that we are trying to escape obligations.

But I realize that negative criticism is not all that is called for in so serious a matter. I am happy to be able to add, therefore, that I have once more gone over the reservations proposed by yourself, the copy of which I return herewith, and am glad to say that I can accept them as they stand. I have never seen the slightest reason to doubt the good faith of our associates in the war, nor ever had the slightest reason to fear that any nation would seek to enlarge our obligations under the covenant of the League of Nations, or seek to commit us to lines of action which, under our Constitution, only the Congress of the United States can in the last analysis decide.

May I suggest that with regard to the possible withdrawal of the United States it would be wise to give to the President the right to act upon a resolution of Congress in the matter of withdrawal? In other words, it would seem to be permissible and advisable that any resolution giving notice of withdrawal should be a joint rather than a concurrent resolution.

I doubt whether the President can be deprived of his veto power under the Constitution, even with his own consent. The use of a joint resolution would permit the President, who is, of course, charged by the Constitution with the conduct of foreign policy, to merely exercise a voice in saying whether so important a step as withdrawal from the League of Nations should be accomplished by a majority or by a two-thirds vote.

The Constitution itself providing that the legislative body was to be consulted in treaty-making and having prescribed a two-thirds vote in such cases, it seems to me that there should be no unnecessary departure from the method indicated.

I see no objection to a frank statement that the United States can accept a mandate with regard to any territory under Article XIII, Part I, or any other provision of the treaty of peace only by the direct authority and action of the Congress of the United States.

I hope, my dear Senator, that you will never hesitate to call upon me for any assistance that I can render in this or any other public matter.

Cordially and sincerely yours,

WOODROW WILSON.

ROBBERS MURDER DR. J. R. MENZIES IN HWAINGKINGFU

Honan Missionary Slain When Protecting Members Of His Household

15 BANDITS MAKE RAID

Five Men And Nine Ladies In Station At The Time—One Intruder Killed

(CHINA PRESS OWN SERVICE)

Peking, March 18.—Dr. James R. Menzies of the Canadian Presbyterian Mission at Hwaikingfu was killed by robbers who attacked the mission station there.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hankow, March 18.—Doctor James R. Menzies, a Canadian missionary, has been killed by Chinese robbers who attacked the Canadian Presbyterian Mission station at Hwaikingfu situated North of the Yellow River, a little to the west of the Peking-Hankow railway bridge. One of the robbers was shot.

Doctor Menzies came to China as a missionary in 1895. His wife and three children are now at their home in Canada. The Mission station at Hwaikingfu was opened in 1902.

Peking, March 19.—It appears that fifteen robbers visited the ladies quarters at the Hwaikingfu Presbyterian Mission. The servants called Dr. Menzies who ran to the scene and grappled with a robber who was attempting to force an entrance into the building. Thereupon the other robbers retreated and fired a volley. A bullet struck Dr. Menzies in the stomach, and he afterwards succumbed. A robber, apparently the one who was grappling with Dr. Menzies, was also killed.

Last night a wire was received by Dr. D. MacGillivray from Dr. MacKenzie, Wellfleet, Honan, stating that the Canadian Presbyterian Mission Compound at Hwaiking had been attacked by robbers and Dr. Menzies had been killed.

The Mission Compound is situated outside the north-west corner of the city wall and though surrounded by a high wall, it was not impregnable.

ALLIES AND TURK CLASH IN FIGHT ON MOSLEM SOIL

Two British Soldiers And Nine Of The Enemy Are Killed, Commons Is Told

NEW WARNING TO PORTE

Further Persecution Of Christians Means More Drastic Peace Terms

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 17.—In the House of Commons this afternoon replying to Mr. Asquith with regard to the Allied occupation of Constantinople, Mr. Bonar Law stated that the general administration of Constantinople would not be taken over but the Ministries of War and Marine would be occupied and the postal and telegraphic services and the navigation of the Bosphorus would be controlled by Allied officers.

There had been fighting only at one point, Mr. Bonar Law added, and it was reported that two British soldiers and been killed and four wounded, while nine Turkish soldiers had been killed and others wounded.

The Turkish Government has been warned that the occupation would continue until the peace terms had been duly executed and it outrages against native Christians continued the terms of peace would be made more severe.

Paris, March 13.—A special meeting of the Supreme Council has been called at the instance of Marshal Foch. It is expected that the Council will deal with the German situation.

Washington, March 12.—It is understood that the American Mission, headed by General Harbord, recommended that the United States should accept the mandate for Armenia, but President Wilson refused to publish the Mission's report notwithstanding the Senate's double request.

LIANG IN PEKING

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, March 19.—Liang Chiao has arrived in Peking.

CANADA WILL NOT CONSENT TO LENROOT RESERVATION

Will Reject Treaty If Her Voting Power Is Impaired

ROWELL EXPLAINS

Dominion Originally In League And Won't Drop Out Now

(Reuter's Service)

Ottawa, March 13.—In the Dominion House of Commons today Mr. Rowell, the Foreign Secretary, dealing with the American reservation with regard to the League of Nations, emphasized that Canada was one of the original members of the League and there was no question of Canada dropping out of the League.

Should the United States persist in its reservations, he continued, its coming into the League might depend on Canada and in spite of the gravity of her responsibility Canada could not possibly give her consent as the reservation struck at the foundation of Canada's national position.

Mr. Rowell, who is also president of the Privy Council, refers to the Lenroot reservation which, if made effective, would deprive Canada of her independent voting power in the League of Nations. He outlined the same views expressed in the Dominion House of Commons last month when he addressed a mass meeting of war veterans in Ottawa. At that time, Mr. Rowell said:

CAN SEE NO DOUBT AS TO CANADA'S DECISION

"If the United States Senate should adopt the Lenroot reservation, either in its original form or amended as now suggested, as one of the nations of the British Empire and a party to the treaty, would be called upon to decide what action she should take under these conditions.

"There can be no possible doubt what Canada's decision will be. She cannot and will not consent to any impairment of her status and voting rights under the treaty. Therefore, when final action of the treaty is taken by the Government of the United States, if the ratification can only become effective on Canada's assent thereto, the ratification cannot go into effect so far as Canada is concerned, as Canada will not give that assent.

"Canada has made her position perfectly clear to the proper authorities in London, and she has asked them to make her position clear to the authorities in Washington. We have done this in the interests of good understanding between the United States and Canada.

WOULD DEPRIVE COUNTRY OF STAND AMONG NATIONS

"The reasons why Canada cannot assent are so obvious that they need hardly be mentioned. I shall only mention one. Canada, by the free action of her own Government, and the whole-hearted co-operation of her own people, raised 600,000 men to take part in this war. She mortgaged her future to carry the burdens which her participation in the war involved. The flower of her youth lie buried in France and Flanders, and thousands more are maimed for life in order that Canada, as one of the free nations of the British Commonwealth, might make her contribution to the cause of liberty and the restoration of the world's peace.

"In the light of these facts, it is inconceivable that any Government in Canada could be so false to both the living and the dead, and to Canada's future, as to give the assent of Canada to a proposal which would deprive Canada of the position and status won for her by her soldiers on the field of battle, and accorded to her at the Peace Conference by the enlightened judgment of nations, particularly in the case when full status and voting rights are granted, and we think properly granted, to several nations of the American continent which either by reason of treaties with the United States or of economic necessity are dependent upon her, and whose combined population probably does not exceed that of Canada."

Work On Peace Treaty Ended In Paris



Bonar Law, British Cabinet Minister (left), Lloyd George, British Premier (center) and Ambassador Wallace, American envoy to France, photographed after the closing session of the Peace Conference in Paris. Premier Lloyd George is quoted in news despatches as having declared the treaty was hard luck for anyone who had a hand in it. The despatches, when his attention was called to the fall of former-Premiers Orlando in Italy and Clemenceau in France, and the evident increase in the opposition to President Wilson in his country, declared: "Yes, and in less than six months it will be my turn."

Ex-Kaiser Plotting With Germans To Embroil Allies With Bolsheviki And Turks

Baron Von Kuehlmann Said To Be Paying Secret Visits To Amerongen—Move Alleged To Deflect Entente Troops And Check Treaty Enforcement

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 14.—The "well-known statesman," already quoted by the Daily Telegraph as declaring that Germany is directly associated with Bolshevik and Pan-Islamic movements in Central Asia and Asia Minor further states that Baron von Kuehlmann, "ex-Secretary of State, has recently been visiting the ex-Kaiser at Amerongen twice a week secretly by night, and that Baron von Kuehlmann is a direct connecting link between Amerongen and Erzerum.

London, March 13.—The Daily Telegraph quotes a "well-known statesman of considered judgment" as declaring that Germany is directly associated with the Bolshevik and Pan-Islamic movements in Central Asia and Asia Minor and also with the Magyar Government's recall to the colors of 25 (?) annual classes.

MONARCHIST MOVE

The statesman emphasises that Berlin is inspiring Admiral Horthy's move as well as Mustafa Kemal's with a view to deflecting from Western Europe as many Allied troops as possible, thus rendering the enforcement of the disarmament clauses of the Treaty most difficult and the eventual restoration of the Hohenzollern easier.

He points out in this connection that Germany's armed forces are approximately 500,000 although it was stipulated that they must be reduced to 200,000 by April.

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MAIL FOR AMERICA

Despatched Today

Although it had been announced at the American Post Office that the next mail for America would be despatched on March 27, on the steamer Ecuador of the Pacific Mail, it was determined yesterday to forward a mail for America on the steamer Fushimi Maru of the N. Y. K. leaving today. The Fushimi Maru sails for Seattle by way of Japan ports and is due to arrive April 15. Mail for this boat will close today at the American Post Office as follows:

Registered mail ... 12 noon.
Ordinary mail ... 1 p.m.

BERLIN TAKEN BY SURPRISE WHEN REBEL TROOPS ENTER

Belated Dispatches Show No Resistance Was Offered By City

EBERT IN FLIGHT

Marshal Hindenburg Was Slated For Imperial Presidency

DR. KAPP FANATIC

Social-Democrats Urged Strikes To Prevent Kaiser's Return

A fuller account of the dramatic details attending the German Militarists' coup a few days ago is contained in Reuter's despatches received from Berlin yesterday under date of March 16 and 17. The despatches show that the revolution was virtually broken down and that both factions in Germany were parleying for a compromise. The despatches with details of the uprising follow:

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, March 13.—Berlin was threatened during the night by the immediate danger of a revolution. It was announced at midnight that revolting bodies of troops had begun a march on Berlin from Doberitz. Generals von Oldershausen and von Oven and Lieutenant Colonel Wetzel went out to meet them to warn them of the consequences of their action.

The revolutionary troops included Baltic troops of the Erhard and Lowendal naval brigades. They reached the Tiergarten railway station at 5 o'clock in the morning.

Berlin, March 13.—Details of the revolution show that no resistance was offered to the troops who quickly took possession of the city. Ebert is in flight and all the leaders of the late Government have seemingly quit Berlin. Doctor Kapp immediately proclaimed himself Chancellor and Premier of Prussia and issued a proclamation prepared in advance. The revolution was bloodless, the public being taken completely by surprise.

KAPP DESCRIBED AS FANATICAL PAN-GERMAN

Yesterday the chief interest of financial and commercial circles centered on the sudden remarkable rise in the value of the Mark during the past few days. Persons who have been hoarding foreign money for speculative purposes have been loading it off as fast as possible.

Doctor Kapp who is described as a fanatical Pan-German, came into the limelight for a brief period during the Chancellorship of Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg, who denounced Dr. Kapp in the Reichstag for circulating a secret pamphlet against him. The Chancellor subsequently refused to confirm Doctor Kapp's election as a provincial official in East Prussia.

All day yesterday the police were endeavoring to trace Dr. Kapp and Staff Capt. Pabst in connection with the revolutionary plot but, as they could not be discovered, it was thought that they had fled.

Herr Noske, the Imperial Defence Minister, also ordered the arrest of Marshal von Hindenburg and General von Ludendorff but neither of them could be found at their homes last night.

PLANNED HINDENBURG FOR NEW PRESIDENT

Berlin, March 13.—(Noon).—The New Imperial Ministry is provisionally composed as follows:

Chancellor, Doctor Kapp
Public Worship, Doctor Traub
Defence, General von Lüttwitz
Finance, Oberfinanzrat Bank
The other Ministers have not yet been appointed. It is reported that Marshal Hindenburg will be proclaimed Imperial President.

Berlin, March 13.—The Social-Democratic Party has issued a manifesto denouncing the military revolt, adding that the mercenary troops, who were afraid of disbandment, which had been ordered, wanted to put reactionaries into military posts. The Social-Democrats declared that they refused to bow to military constraint and would not enter into covenants with "the Baltic criminals."

FORMER GERMAN SPY DIRECTOR CENSORSHIP

The manifesto calls upon the workers to use every means to

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destroy the return of "bloody reaction" adding that there was only one means against the return of Wilhelm the Second, namely, to paralyse all economic life.

Berlin, March 13.—The publication of the evening papers has been prohibited.

Copenhagen, March 13.—According to a Berlin telegram the German censorship is in the hands of Friedrich Lincoln, former British M. P. and German spy.

Berlin, March 13, 9 a.m.—The Vorwärts offices have been occupied by the Public Security Guard. The semi-official news agency has provisionally suspended its services to the provinces and to foreign countries.

A proclamation signed by General von Luetwitz and Dr. Kapp has been issued stating that the Noske Government "has ceased to exist" and the entire authority has passed into the hands of Dr. Kapp as Imperial Chancellor and Prussian Premier who has appointed Infantry General Baron von Luetwitz (a well-known reactionary) as military commander in chief.

The proclamation adds that "a government of order and freedom is being formed."

REBELT AND NOSKE CALL FOR BIG STRIKE

Herren Ebert and Noske have issued a manifesto summoning the workers to a general strike.

Prior to the fall of the Noske government, the semi-official news agency announced that General von Oldershausen had negotiated with the naval brigade in the course of the night. The revolutionaries' demands were discussed by the cabinet which met till early this morning and were subsequently rejected. The troops then entered Berlin and occupied the Wilhelmstrasse. The announcement added "No acts of violence mean yet to have occurred."

10 a.m.—Berlin preserves its usual aspect. Traffic is circulating as if nothing had happened and everything is normal save for the considerable body of troops in the center of the city.

ASSEMBLY DISSOLVED IS KAPP'S ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Kapp's proclamation states that the National Assembly's "mandate to establish a constitution and conclude peace has expired." The proclamation declares the Assembly dissolved and announces "a return to constitutional conditions immediately internal order is restored."

Later.—The attitude of the miners and railwaymen towards the revolution is uncertain. The shipyard workers at Hamburg have decided to strike. Gen. von Luetwitz has assumed executive powers in Berlin and Brandenburg and has extended martial law to the whole of Germany.

Copenhagen, March 16.—A telegram from Budapest states that a new Hungarian Cabinet has been formed with M. Semadam as Premier and Count Geleki as Foreign Minister.

Paris, March 15.—M. Berthelot, Director of Political Affairs at the French Foreign Office, who is now in England, on Saturday night visited Mr. Lloyd George at his residence at Crichelth in connection with the events in Germany.

Robbers Murder Dr. J. R. Menzies In Hwaikinfu

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wall was evidently attacked by armed robbers.

At the station there are five men and nine women, all of whom must have had a terrible time.

Dr. Menzies was a Medical Graduate of Toronto and had opened several hospitals in North Honan. He received the degree of "D.D." from Knox College of Toronto some years ago. His loss will be greatly deplored, especially under the tragic circumstances.

Smiles from the Mixed Court

Once more "a stitch in time saved nine"—saved Zee Ching-pao from paying room rent and board for nine months.

Wong Zui-hai owned a sewing machine and a desire to sleep deeply and without troublesome interruption. And so when Zee came ambling into the bedroom and carted off the clothes factory, the sleeping Wong was not aroused.

But upon arising and discovering that the chief factor of bringing home the daily bacon was missing, Wong made an outcry. It reached the ears of the police and Zee came before British Assessor Grant Jones and Magistrate Li as a manufacturer of great wealth.

He admitted that he had snatched the machine and the court, remembering the adage, said "Nine for you,"—nine months in jail.

ROTARIANS GIVE DANCING PARTY

Solos By Mrs. O'Hara And Mrs. Lynch Are Features At Function

The Shanghai Rotary Club gave a dinner dance at the Cafe Parisien last evening that was a social success. The membership of the organization was well represented and everyone present enjoyed the event to the utmost.

Mrs. William E. O'Hara sang several solos and was received with acclaim by the members of the party. Her accompaniments were played by Mr. Julius Rosenfeld.

Mrs. Frederick Lynch also took part in the musical program singing several topical songs. She was accompanied by the Parisien Jazz Band.

Mr. A. B. Rosenfeld, vice-president of the club and chairman of the evening, formally thanked Captain Frederick Davies, manager of the establishment, for the excellence of the food, the splendid music provided by the Jazz band and the appointments generally.

U.S. EXPORTS BIG GOLD SHIPMENTS TO CHINA, JAPAN

This Country And India Also Get Bulk Of 1919 Silver Cargoes From America

(Reuters Service)
Washington, February 11 (by mail).—South America and the Far East absorbed the bulk of the exports of gold and silver from the United States during the year 1919, the Department of Commerce announced today. Japan, China and Argentina received the greatest part of the gold sent out of the country and China and India the major portion of silver exports.

Of the total gold exports in 1919, which amounted to \$368,185,248, Japan took \$94,114,189; China, including Hongkong, \$79,295,738; and Argentina \$56,560,000. The flow of gold to these countries was explained, department officials said, by shipments of silk and tea from Japan, silk and vegetable oils from China and beef and hides from Argentina to the United States heavily overbalancing American exports of manufactured goods.

Silver sent out of the country during 1919, totalled \$239,021,051 of which India received \$109,180,718 and China, including Hongkong \$87,828,718. This demand, officials explained, was due to the extensive use of silver coins as ornaments in India and the silver stand in China.

Program For Reception Of Rome Airmen Is Complete

Entertainment Will Include Banquets, Dance, Receptions And Sight-Seeing; Fliers To Give Exhibition At Kiangwan

Two banquets, a special performance of aviators at Kiangwan, receptions, an informal dance and automobile trips around Shanghai will constitute the program of entertainment for the Italian flying squadron which is expected to be here in three weeks on its trip from Rome to Tokio. The fliers will stop in Shanghai at least 36 hours, during which they will be entertained by representatives of the Department of Aeronautics of the Central Government, the local Chinese officials and organizations.

As soon as the time of their arrival at Shanghai is known, Lieut. Panfil, will go up in his S. V. A. machine and escort the visiting squadron to the Kiangwan Race Course, where they will land. A reception will be held at the Race Course Restaurant by the International Recreation Club and the Italian aviators will then motor to Shanghai. The Peking Government will provide seven motor cars for the visitors during their sojourn at Shanghai.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE
The committees in charge of the reception are:

General reception committee: Lieut. Comm. T. S. Chu, chairman; Mr. G. A. Bena, vice-chairman; Major W. R. McBain, Mr. C. T. Chu, Mr. Don D. Patterson, Mr. Kadocrie and Mr. Jabin Hsu, secretary.

Ground committee, Mr. Brodie A. Clarke, chairman; Mr. T. U. Yih, Mr. C. T. Chu, Lieut. Comm. T. S. Chu, Major P. C. Pao, Captain Delplano, Lieut. Panfil, Mr. G. A. Bena and Mr. Chu Pao-san.

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TO PUBLISH JOURNAL ON DAY OF ARRIVAL
On the day of the arrival of the Italian aviators, a publication in Chinese, The China Aero Journal, will be issued. It will be a 12 page paper of the same size as the Chinese dailies.

Articles will deal with the present flight, aviation for the last 500 years, aviation in Great Britain, France, Italy and the United States, chronological events in aviation of the world in 1920 and the biographical sketches of General Ting Kinn, director of the Department of Aeronautics in Peking, and Lieut. Comm. T. S. Chu and Major P. C. Pao.

The paper will be published under the editorship of Mr. Jabin Hsu, secretary of the general reception committee, and Mr. J. Edward Doyle, and has been approved by the Department of Aeronautics in Peking. The publication will be made permanent later in Peking. It will, however, take the form of a monthly magazine of about 50 pages three quarters of which will be in Chinese and the remainder in English.

OFFICIALS ARE HOSTS
In the evening at 8 o'clock, the second banquet will be given at the Bureau of Foreign Affairs. The hosts will be the Special Commissioners from Peking, Lieut. Comm. T. S. Chu and Major T. C. Pao; Deputies of Tachun Li Shun of Kiangsu, Colonel Chu Shih-wen and Mr. Hsia Tsing-ching; the Chief of the Admiralty, Admiral K. K. Lang; Acting Defense Commissioner, General Ho Fung-ling; the Commissioner

of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Yang Teheng; the Taoyin of Shanghai, Mr. Wang Keng-ling; the Magistrate of the City of Shanghai, Mr. Shen Pao-chang; and the Chief of the Nantao police, Mr. Hsu Kuo-liang. One hundred and fifty guests will be entertained, including the fliers, the reception committee, officers of the Aero Club, members of the Consular Body, the Municipal Council and others.

The airmen will leave Shanghai for Tsingtao on the morning of the third day.

Kiang Coolies Assault Chief Of Police; Then Strike

American Sailors Called On To Restore Order—Two Chinese Soldiers Killed

(Reuters Pacific Service)
Peking, March 19.—A fracas occurred at Kiang on March 15, when shiploading coolies attempted to drag the foreign chief of police to the native city. American sailors were landed and restored order. A British gunboat arrived subsequently whereupon the Americans returned to their vessel.

According to unconfirmed Chinese press reports two Chinese soldiers were killed in subsequent disturbances and the coolies have since struck against loading all foreign vessels.

Grounded Steamer Refloated And Is Sent To Drydock

(Reuters Pacific Service)
Hongkong, March 19.—The Messageries Maritimes steamer Commandant Mages, which was reported aground on March 12 East of Hongkong, has been refloated. She is going into dry-dock for repairs.

SILK TRADE HIT HARD BY STORMS; PRICES DECLINE

Mills, However, Are Sold Far Ahead And Welcome Lull In The Demand

(Reuters Service)
New York, February 13 (by mail).—A snow and sleet storm of unusual severity demoralized retail and wholesale business in the eastern section of the country and hit the silk trade very hard because so much of the transportation in and around New York is dependent upon motor trucking.

The continued uncertainty in financial circles and the restrictions placed upon credit by higher interest rates have also had a steadily quieting influence. The decline of raw silk prices of nearly \$1 a pound from the recent top has been followed by easing prices asked for new deliveries of thrown silk. It has also increased the uncertainty among buyers of silk fabrics and silk merchandise of all sorts.

HEALTHY CONSERVATISM
In most quarters of the trade the situation is regarded only as a growth of healthy conservatism and is not looked upon as the forerunner of a continued decline. Many silk mills are so far sold ahead that they welcome a lull in the demand. The leaders in the trade have taken the stand for some time past that consumers in this country are not ready to buy silks in quantities as large as they have been doing if prices are pushed up to a parity with raw silk above \$15 and even \$18 a pound.

The stocks of cheaper goods in hand will keep the trade supplied for some time, but new business will be slow, they say. That is the actual condition at the moment, and it has been emphasized recently by strict orders, issued by merchandise managers to retail buyers, forbidding them to make any substantial commitments for fall.

BIG STORES LOSE
The metropolitan stores have lost a great deal of business in the past seven days in consequence of the difficulty of transportation about the city and clearance sales of silks are being forced at low prices. Very small lots are offered.

Silk shirts are being offered in many retail channels at substantial reductions and new business on them is not developing fast. The silk hosiery situation continues with but little change, most dealers being short and mills far behind with their orders.

Japanete Fliers Back From Korea
(Reuters Pacific Service)
Osaka, March 19.—In the return Seoul-Tokio flight Lieut. Namba (Sopwith) left Hiroshima at 2:10 and arrived at Osaka at 5:10 yesterday afternoon. He left for Tokio at 8:30 this morning. Lieut. Kato (Sopwith) who

aligned at Totori more than 100 miles northeast of Hiroshima is expected in Osaka today. Lieut. Kitagawa (Salmson) arrived at Hiroshima at 5:08 yesterday afternoon from Tokyo. He left Hiroshima at 8:04 this morning and arrived at Osaka at 10:45.

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China Must Stand Firm, Says Millard Discussing Shantung

Consenting To The Present Arrangement, This Country May Undo All That Has Been Done For Her, He Declares

That China's hope for the just settlement of the Shantung controversy lies in keeping it as an international question was expressed by Mr. Thomas F. Millard, realist and student of Far Eastern problems, who spoke before the American University Club yesterday at tiffin at the Carlton.

By consenting to the present arrangement, China may undo all that has been done for her," said Millard in part. "If China settles herself to be satisfied with the arrangement, we are helpless. We cannot oppose anything coming China which she herself wishes to accept. We all realize the importance of the question because the big principle involved in it."

Mr. Tang Shao-yi, head of the northern peace delegation and president of the University Club introduced the speaker. He said at the record attendance at the tiffin proved the popularity and importance of the honored guest on behalf of his country, he wished to tell Mr. Millard that would always have a warm place in its heart for his invaluable services in China and at the Paris Peace Conference. Mr. Tang stated that the speaker is one of the exceptional men who played their part well at the peace table and in awaiting public opinion with reference to the Shantung question. About 200 attended the tiffin.

WRITING BOOK

Mr. Millard introduced his talk saying that he was writing a book on China in New York when he was called to serve the Chinese peace delegation as a newspaper man and a student on Far Eastern questions and to present China's case to the world in a journalistic way. He only served in an unofficial capacity, he said.

Continuing, Mr. Millard said: "It is intimated by the United States government that the American peace delegation should associate itself closely with China. I was acquainted with most of the journalists and diplomats at the Conference, particularly those of the American delegation."

"After my arrival I found that a great deal had already been done for China by the Americans. At the second meeting of the Council of Ten, which eventually resolved itself into the Council of Four, it was disclosed that Great Britain, France, Russia and Italy had entered into secret agreements with Japan whereby the latter would secure the reversion of the former German rights in Shantung. China's case therefore had to be submitted to a Court of Five of which Four had signed secret treaties against her."

SECRET TREATIES

"Our only hope then was that the influence of President Wilson might at Lloyd George, Orlando, Clemenceau and Baron Makino to waive the rights given to Japan by the secret treaties."

"We are all familiar with the decision of the Council. We are, however, still in the dark as to President Wilson's mind in his work in connection with the Shantung arrangements. It transpired that President Wilson consented to the arrangement contrary to the written protest of his colleagues, General Bliss, Mr. Lansing and Mr. White. The decision was disapproved in fact by all the political, economical, military and naval experts. The power of decision remained with the President and they were unable to accomplish their aims."

"The loss of Shantung was not due to the commission or omission of representation by China in Paris. The whole presentation of the China case was heard. We all recall how Dr. Wellington Koo presented China's case within an hour after he was invited. It was a well-known fact that he outpointed Baron Makino at the hearing. It is believed by many that his speech was the best ever made before the conference."

CHINESE WIN APPROVAL

"At various stages of developments in Paris, the ability, skill, and moderation of the Chinese delegation won the approval of everyone at the Conference. It was fully my intention to do a certain amount of propaganda work when I went across but I had little or nothing to do in this respect. Throughout the conference the public remained sympathetic towards China. It was a memorable day at the press room when the decision was announced on April 30. The room was crowded because the eminent decision was expected. Mr. R. S. Baker, who always gave out the official announcements to the newspaper men on behalf of President Wilson, made the announcement. For a certain length of time the gathering assumed the aspect of an indignation meeting, almost full of anger."

Mr. Millard then described the dissatisfaction shown by those in Paris over the decision. He attended several conferences with the Chinese delegation, which was anxious to decide what to do. Mr. Millard's memorandum to the various officials was that China should not sign. He pointed out that everything China had signed up to that time was something that China did not want. His memorandum was forwarded to the experts attached to the United States peace delegation.

Dr. E. T. Williams, Mr. Millard stated, contrary to the decision of President Wilson advised against signing. Suggestions were then made to the Chinese delegation by Mr. Millard to file its objections and exception to the decision in order to pave the way for China's cause at the League of Nations.

CONGRESS AT SEA

The speaker expressed surprise at the adverse attitude assumed by certain European politicians towards the action of the United States Senate. He pointed out that under the Constitution, Congress must necessarily sanction the treaties before they go into effect.

A great many treaties have been rejected by the Senate. There has not been a single treaty signed without reservation. It is a fact well-known to European diplomats, Mr. Millard said.

Upon returning to the United States where he knew many members of the Senate, including Senators Lodge and Knox, Mr. Millard found that the Congressmen knew little about what was going on in Paris. It was Mr. Millard who prepared the list of questions with which Senator Johnson cross-examined Secretary of State Lansing. Through Mr. Millard, the Foreign Relations Committee obtained the facts of China's case.

"It was no easy task when you consider that the Senate is trying to reject something which President Wilson, with all his power and prestige, had agreed to in Paris. Our arguments had to be convincing. Even Senator Lodge did not believe at first that anything could be done to alter the provisions of the treaty with reference to the Shantung settlement. The Democratic members of the Congress, of course, were then in perfect agreement with President Wilson's decision."

SENATE PRAISED

The speaker considered secret treaties as promissory notes and said that if they are recognized, Japan will be paid in full. He urged the Senate to adopt the reservation, which would make the United States and China free from the obligations imposed by the secret treaties. Mr. Millard considers the revised clause of the Shantung reservation as an improvement over the former one and is satisfied with the action of the United States Senate.

"The Senate had done all it could," said he. "It has shown its disapproval. It has secured free action for the United States and China in the Far East. During the 140 years of its existence, the United States has had but two policies in international relations. I refer to the Monroe Doctrine, which is designed to preserve the Western Hemisphere from aggression and the other is the Hay

Doctrine, which is an extension of the Monroe Doctrine."

The speaker then traced the good work being done by the China Society of America and announced the election of Mr. Julian Arnold, American Commercial Attaché in China, as secretary of the Executive Council.

Among those present at the meeting were United States Consul-General E. S. Cunningham, vice-consuls J. E. Jacobs and J. B. Sawyer, Dr. Wu Lien-teh, Dr. C. T. Wang, Mr. David Z. T. Yui, Mr. Hugo Reiss, Mr. Hsu En-yuan, Mr. Chung Meng-yew, Dr. F. C. Tong, Mr. Weng Tsung-yao, Mr. H. H. Arnold, M. Spellman, Dr. Chen Ching-tao, Dr. H. C. Mei, Judge T. K. Yeh, Mr. J. W. Ross, Mr. Perry C. Wong, Major A. Bassett, Mr. L. Kentwell, Mr. H. Thomas, Mr. George Fitch, Mr. William Lockwood, Mr. K. Murphy and Mr. Y. C. Tong.

'Pirates Of Pensance'

Booking for the final performance of "The Pirates of Pensance," produced by the A. D. C., indicates the popular favor of the play with Shanghai theatregoers and the skill with which the players have presented the Gilbert and Sullivan light opera. There will be a matinee this afternoon and an evening performance at the Lyceum Theatre.

The play, billed to run only three nights, will have been produced six times when the engagement is closed, so enthusiastic has been the public over the results obtained by the members of the club in their interpretation of the roles.

Crowded houses have greeted every performance of the opera and advance information indicates that the theater will be filled at both matinee and evening performances tonight.

London Statue To Miss Edith Cavell Unveiled By Queen

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 17.—Queen Alexandra unveiled a statue to Miss Edith Cavell today in Trafalgar Square on the island site where the statue of Gordon stood prior to its removal to Khartoum.

The statue which was erected by subscriptions to a fund raised by the Daily Telegraph, is cut out of white marble and shows Miss Cavell, standing erect in a nurse's uniform. A distinguished Anglo-Belgian gathering was present at the unveiling. Queen Alexandra welcoming the Belgian Delegation drew attention to the blending of the British and Belgian flags on the statue as a symbolical of perpetual friendship between the two nations.

Great Britain To Expand Credits To Build Export Trade

(Reuter's Service)

London, March 16.—A White Paper has been issued indicating legislation authorizing the Board of Trade to grant credits up to twenty-six millions in connection with the export trade, where it is found advisable owing to circumstances arising out of the war. It is proposed that these powers shall date from September 9, 1919. The credits can be exercised for three years and must be repaid within six years.

Income And Profits Taxes Can't Be Cut This Year—Houston

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, March 16.—Mr. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, in a letter to the House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee, said that income and profits taxes could not be reduced until after 1921.

Move To Cut Down British Budget Lost By Big Vote

(Continued from Page 1)

had been sold at 5/-. The report finds that there is a possibility of an international combination comprising British, Dutch and American manufacturers dominating prices over a considerable part of the world and recommends that the operations of the existing

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GARAGE COMPANY GIVEN EXTENSION

Is Allowed Time To File Allotment Of Shares; Court Critical

Judge Skinner Turner was severe in his censure of the manner in which the Shanghai Garage Co., Ltd., has acted in connection with the new company regulations under the new Order in Council, when the case came before him in the British Supreme Court yesterday.

The Court granted the application asked for an extension of time in which to file an allotment of shares in the company.

Mr. W. S. Levinson appeared for the Garage Company and Mr. H. P. Wilkinson, Crown Advocate, for the Registrar of Companies.

The motion was as follows:

In the Matter of The Shanghai Garage Co., Ltd., and in the Matter of the Hongkong Companies' Ordinance 1911 Secs. 76, 90 and 91 (1) and 1915 Sec. 4 (2) (b) and the China (Companies) Order in Council 1915 Sec. 13 (3).

Take Notice that this Honorable Court will be moved on Friday the 12th day of March 1920 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon or so soon thereafter as Council can be heard that the above Company, a China Company registered with the Registrar of Companies at Shanghai do have fourteen days from the date of the order to be hereon made within which to file with the Registrar documents containing the particulars following, that is to say:

1.—A List of Directors of such above named Company.

2.—A List of Changes of Directors at all material times.

3.—The place where such Company is directed or controlled.

4.—The Return of Allotments of such Company.

5.—The Return of Particulars of Shares issued.

6.—A charge over the assets of the Company given in favor of the International Banking Corporation by the above Company and dated the 28th day of August 1919.

And that such Company may have relief from the penalties incurred by reason of its failure to register with the Registrar of Companies within the specified time the particulars above set out.

Mr. Levinson said that since the last hearing an affidavit had been filed by J. E. Inch.

The affidavit stated, in part, as follows:

"On the incorporation of the company, in addition to being managing director, I undertook the duties of Secretary; in respect of the following allotments (read) the company has made default in filing the return required by sec. 13 (3) of the China (Companies) Order in Council 1915.

"As Secretary of the company the duty of filing the necessary returns devolved on me and the failure to comply with the section was entirely due to inadvertence and to no other cause. I have never acted as secretary of a company before and was ignorant of the provisions of sec. 13 (3), otherwise the same would have been complied with.

"The full amount due in respect of every share allotted had been paid out and no shares have been forfeited.

"I was aware that certain instances of failure on the part of certain companies to comply with the Hongkong Ordinances and Orders in Council relating to China Companies in this honorable Court, but I felt no anxiety as regards the particulars concerning the company, as we had retained the late Mr. N. C. Home, who advised us on all matters pertaining to the company."

The Judge in giving his decision, remarked that as far as he could see the company had registered very little with the Registrar of Companies since their incorporation in 1918. It was, in his opinion, the worst company application that he had had before the Court up to date and it was admitted on the affidavits that the company was aware of the need of complying with the requirements of the company legislation very certainly from July or August of last year.

It was quite easy for companies to get information in a printed

form, information of what were the penalties which might be incurred if they did not do their duty in compliance with the law and all managers of companies ought to take steps to acquaint themselves with what their duties were.

Dealing with the several applications in the motion, the Court pointed out that with regard to the first, the certificate of incorporation had been issued and as that was taken as proof that all requirements prior to that issue had been met, he would make no order upon that application.

With regard to the list of directors, the Court said it was the duty of the Registrar to accept it when it was sent to him, though that did not prevent him going for such penalties as had been incurred. In this connection he was unaware that the Court had power to give relief against penalties unless expressly given in statute and as no such power was given by Section 76 of the Ordinance, under which the application was made, he had no jurisdiction to grant the application and would make no order.

The Court granted the application for an extension of the time in which to file a return of allotment of shares in the company, and with regard to the mortgage, remarked that there was no reason for him to make an order as the document was going to be remade, re-executed and re-registered.

Dealing with the duties of the Registrar of Companies, the Judge remarked that if a document were brought to him, which appeared to be regular, it was his duty to accept it, but there was nothing to prevent him inquiring into its accuracy and seeking for penalties if it has not been returned in time. The Court allowed the Registrar his costs.

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News Brevities

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The report and accounts for 1919, of the Associação Macanense de Socorro Mutuo de Shanghai, a Portuguese, mutual provident association, which will be reviewed at the general meeting to be held at the Club Portuguez on March 21, shows the balance on hand as M.255,62.98. Receipts for the year, including \$2,735.00 in subscriptions, amounted to \$4,055.00 while the disbursements for the same period totalled \$4,499.03. The total amount paid out to needy subscribers up to December 31, 1919, was \$29,835.79.

Mr. W. H. Lyub will lecture on the history and national life of Korea at the meeting of the Quest Asiatic Society held at the Royal Asiatic Society Hall Monday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock. Mr. Lyub was the special representative of the Korean people at the recent conference on Korean affairs called by Japanese government officials.

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Engineers' Institute at the Masonic Hall tonight at 9 o'clock.

There will be a tea dance at the American Women's Club Tuesday afternoon beginning at 5 o'clock at the Carlton Cafe.

The 17th annual general meeting of the Shanghai Horse Bazaas and Motor Company will take place Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Wenhaiwei Land and Building Company will be held Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

The Nestle's Cup competition of the Shanghai Rifle Association will be held at the Rifle Range Thursday morning at 6:30 o'clock.

The strike of the Shanghai Cotton Mill workers has been settled and they have returned to work.

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SPORTS □ Latest News of Athletic World □ GOSSIP

Dr. N. L. Downs Is Chairman
Of Amateur Baseball Club;
Schoolboy League Boosted

Organisation To Hold Aggressive Membership
Campaign; 1920 Committee Includes Crow, Bills,
Bunn And Bradley; Series Last Year Lost Money

Dr. N. L. Downs was elected chairman of the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon at the Union Cafe, when the organisation elected, among other things, to hold an aggressive membership campaign. There was but a small attendance at the meeting. The election of Dr. Downs as head of the club is a popular one and he was the unanimous selection of the members at the session. The committee elected includes J. B. Crow, secretary; H. T. Bradley, treasurer; and Frederick Bills, crack infielder of the team two years ago. The balance of the secretary's report from 1918 was wiped out last season, according to the treasurer's report. The series which saw two visiting teams here, one from Manila and the other from Tientsin, ended in a loss of \$875.92. The club owes the retiring Secretary, H. T. Bradley the sum of \$245.01 but has a U. S. Liberty Bond for \$500 as an asset.

The following is the financial statement of the Club:
Receipts and Expenditures for Season 1919.
Balance from 1918 \$747.50
Subscriptions 2,135.00
Interest 1.94
Total \$2,884.44

Expenditures
Donations \$172.06
Advertising 13.90
Stands and Equipment 1,525.14
Miscellaneous 88.25
Salaries 372.50
Stationery 22.40
Total \$2,196.35

Maschall Week Receipts
Tickets 4,455.00
Total \$4,455.00

Expenditures
Donations \$242.00
Advertising 55.20
Materials and Equipment 283.32
Stationery 11.75
Telegrams and Cables 31.53
Lodging and Traveling 4,909.37
Motor Transportation 97.75
Total \$5,530.92

Season Totals
Receipts \$7,339.44
Loan by H. T. Bradley 245.01
Total \$7,584.45

Expenditures \$7,527.27
Balance in Bank 57.18
Total \$7,584.45

In bank—U. S. Liberty Bond \$500.
Tientsin Ball Club
Elects Kampf Head

At the annual general meeting of the Tientsin Baseball Club, held at the Imperial Hotel, on March 16, there were present Messrs. Siemer (chairman), Dailey, Gwen, Hoff, Herahouts, Jewell, Pustan, McMen, McDonnell, Riller, Smith, Churchill, Maloney, Plumlee, Leonard, Rasmussen, Sokall, Gilmore, Liebowitz, Macpherson and O'Brien.

Lieut. Wm. V. Rattan, speaking for the 15th Infantry, extended an invitation to the Club to join the regimental league, mentioning that the Infantry had secured a contract for the use of the baseball field at the Recreation Ground. The price for the use of the ground was \$420 for the season and included the cost of erecting the grand stand.

The invitation was accepted and Lieut. Rattan was requested to convey the thanks of the Club to the Committee of the Regimental League for their offer.

DISCUSS NEW SEASON
A lengthy discussion of the approaching season ensued. A suggestion that playing members failing to put in an appearance at practice without reason be summarily fined was made; after a warm discussion it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Committee, which the meeting proceeded to elect.

Owing to his departure shortly for home, Capt. R. T. McDonnell was unable to accept office as captain of the team; four other candidates were then voted for: they were Messrs. Sweeney, Gilmore, Sokall, Scott and Dailey.

The committee elected to serve for the current year consists of Messrs. "Mike" Kampf, manager and chairman; Mr. Riley, secretary and treasurer; and Mr. P. E. Dailey, captain.

Mr. Kampf left Shanghai for Tientsin yesterday. He has recently returned from America with his bride where he was married. Many expressed the opinion at the meeting that "Mike" is capable of handling a dozen slackers at a time and that the success of the season, with him at the wheel, was assured.

\$10 PER SEASON
Further discussion as to subscription rates followed; it was decided that the subscription should remain the same, i.e., ten dollars per season. It was also ascertained that more players are available this season than there were last year; 20 members have signified their intention to participate in the games, and the anticipation that a crack team will represent the T.B.B. Club in the regimental league is entertained.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to Mr. Siemer, the chairman.

Basketball
An unusually interesting game will be played tonight at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., at 8:30 o'clock. Song Service 'A' meets Y.M.C.A. 'A' in what is expected to be a close and hard contested game, and will largely determine the Y.M.C.A.'s standing in the league.

Shanghai Races Today
Nine races, including one steeplechase, will be staged at the first extra meeting of the Shanghai Race Club which will be held this afternoon at the Shanghai Race Course. The first saddling will ring at 1:15 o'clock. Timin, tea and refreshments will be served.

The list of races follow:
1.—The Phoenix Park Steeplechase—Over Loong-fai water jump, once round and in.
2.—The Croxton Park Stakes—Three-quarters of a mile.
3.—The Gosforth Park Handicap—One mile and three furlongs.
4.—The Haydock Park Plate—Half a mile.
5.—The Hurst Park Stakes—Nine furlongs.
6.—The Kempton Park Cup—One mile and a quarter.
7.—The Lingfield Park Cup—One mile and a quarter.
8.—The Alexandra Park Selling Race—Seven furlongs.
9.—The Sandown Park Stakes—Five furlongs.

Amateur Open Billiards Handicap

(RESULTS OF FIRST ROUND)			
G. Morris	(—250)	300 C. H. Bhora	(rec 50) 283
A. T. Wignall	(—50)	300 G. J. Robinson	(—125) 171
V. Pereira	(—75)	300 C. Dewing	(—100) 278
H. B. Ollerdeassen	(—75)	300 Capt. Gowing	(—125) 299
F. P. da Silva	(—150)	300 C. W. Porter	(—300) 129
P. W. Reeves	(—25)	300 H. Langley	(—125) 295
J. W. Prince	(—150)	300 J. A. Shroff	(rec 50) 224
C. B. Remedios	(—25)	300 H. E. Gibson	(—150)
H. E. Brewer	has not yet played	Olivera on account of illness	
T. E. Poignand	(—125)	300 G. O. Wootton	(—75) 256
J. M. Campos	(—125)	300 T. Mellow	(—100) 229
E. F. Hastings	(—225)	300 G. B. Stormes	(—100) 269
F. W. Jones	(—25)	300 W. Hawkins	(—50) 213
J. M. C. Jones	(—125)	300 S. Chilver	(—50) 238
R. Phillips	(—150)	300 J. Webster	(—75) 266
F. A. Alvarez	(—100)	300 W. N. Hansell	(—50) 221
(SECOND ROUND)			
J. M. C. Lopez	(—125)	300 F. W. Jones	(—25) 211

CLUB AND RECS
PLAY AGAIN TODAY

Big Crowd Will Watch Crack
Football Teams Play
Return Match

The Club and the Rees will get at each other this afternoon, provided the weather holds good, for their last meeting this season. Today's encounter is the return match in the first league. The game will be played on the S.F.C. ground and a big crowd is expected.

In the second division of the league the Police will entertain the Customs and the Rangers are billed to meet the Rees on the Widow's Monument ground. The Club was to have met the Navy representatives but, owing to the Club being short in their reserve line up, the game was cancelled.

At the conclusion of the first division game the Football Club will be thrown open on the occasion of the unveiling of the war memorial by Sir Everard Fraser, British Consul General.

The following will represent the Club versus the Rees on the Club's ground:
A. McLean; P. Isherwood and G. F. Forshaw; W. J. Brown, J. Robertson (Capt.) and M. Seredkin; G. Craigie Ross, S. D. Beggs, B. Lawrie Smith, D. Drake and A. H. Leslie. Mr. F. J. Gabbett will referee the game and Mr. Starling will line for the home team.

The Rees will take the field with:
Remedios; Quincey and Smith; Emamooden, Mears and Mailer; Clarke, Sefoulis, Wade and Wilson (Capt.).

In the second league games the Customs will have out against the Police on the latter's ground the following: Stevenson; Nash and Close; Stacey, Barnes and Peron; Mellow, Curry, Ogden, Davis and Russell.

The Rangers will meet the Rees with: Anderson; Day and Henry.

Hockey Today
The Harlequins and the Portuguese Sporting Association will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock on the Widow's Monument ground in a hockey league encounter.

The following will be the teams:
Harlequins: Barnes; Agassiz and Cobb; Linton, Donnelly and Harvie; Faers, Bertenshaw, McMeekin, Columbine and Ellis.

Portuguese: Almeida; Roberts and Vieira; Collaco, Gomes and Gutierrez; Souza, Leitao, Encarnacao, Remedios and Leitao.

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Y.W.C.A. AT HONGKONG
At the regular meeting of the National Committee of the Young Women's Christian Associations for China at its headquarters in Shanghai this week, it was announced that on March 10 the pre-organisation committee of

Hongkong had accomplished its object and the final organisation of a regular Young Women's Christian Association was completed.

Mrs. Donald MacGillivray, a member of the National Committee, went to Hongkong to represent that Committee and with a

board of Chinese women of which Mrs. Ma Ying-paw is president and Miss Elliott, general secretary and with over 140 members, the new Association faces encouraging conditions and looks forward to great usefulness among Chinese girls and women in Hongkong.

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New Engineering And Shipbuilding Works, Ltd.

At the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ltd., held at the Chamber of Commerce Rooms yesterday afternoon, Mr. H. E. Arnold, who presided, reviewed the working of 1919 as a most successful year, and proposed resolutions for the payment of a dividend of 20 percent as well as a bonus of 40 percent.

The other directors present were Messrs. A. W. Brankston, A. W. Burkill and J. H. Dollar.

The total shares represented were 57,504.

After the secretary had read the notice convening the meeting, the chairman said:

Gentlemen, before referring to the report and accounts, I will read the auditors' report:

"We have audited the above balance sheet and have obtained all the explanations and information in our power."

In our opinion, such balance sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Company."

(Signed) G. H. & N. Thomson, Chartered Accountants.

It is a great pleasure to your directors to again be able to submit a report to you which constitutes a record of the history of the Company. Not only have we been well supported with building work, but now that shipping has again been calling freely at this Port, we have had a very satisfactory amount of repair work to attend to.

Before formally proposing the adoption and passing of the accounts, I will, as usual, make a few remarks thereon.

The balance of profit and loss account, including Tls. 32,700, carried forward from 1918, is Tls. 831,587.33, which is proposed to deal with as follows:

To pay a dividend of 20 percent 129,335.00
To pay a bonus of 40 percent 268,670.00
To write off new plant 100,000.00
To place to reserve fund 259,500.00
To place to dividend equalisation fund 25,000.00
To donate to patriotic funds 20,000.00
To carry forward balance 39,082.33
Tls. 831,587.33

This is a very handsome return on the paid up capital of the Company—it should not, however, be overlooked that the actual capital working in the business last year amounted to between 35 and 40 lacs and that the profit gives a return on the funds utilized in our business of approximately 22 percent. Turning to the balance sheet you will notice that buildings, plant machinery and steam launches show an increase by Tls. 279,537.34. This is represented by new machinery which we have had to pay for during the year, and which constitutes part of the new plant which, as I indicated in my speech last year, we were installing, by the cost of new launches for harbor work, new buildings, shipyard, new extensions to other buildings, new building and various structural alterations for the accommodation of new machinery.

The new machinery, which was installed during the year, was ordered during the war and as we could not obtain it elsewhere, was purchased at very high prices in Japan. Your directors, therefore, recommend applying Tls. 100,000 of the year's profits to depreciation account, so as to have this new plant in our books at a reasonable figure.

STOCKS
The amount shown under this heading is high, but it is so difficult at the present time to obtain material for reasonable delivery, that we are compelled to carry large stocks. Of the amount standing at the beginning of 1919 to the credit of the material equalisation fund, namely Tls. 350,000.00, we have had to make use of Tls. 98,825.61, and since the closing of the accounts, a further amount of Tls. 116,895.17 has been made use of for the same purpose, leaving, therefore, an unapplied balance of Tls. 134,279.22 which, in view of the large stocks we are at present compelled to carry, we consider it advisable to keep in reserve for the purpose for which it was originally intended.

SUNDRY DEBTORS
Tls. 392,360.01. This amount includes instalments on four of the Steamers now in course of construction for Norwegian Owners, which have since been paid. These debts are all good and have meanwhile mostly been liquidated.

I will now turn to the other side of the balance sheet.

RESERVE FUND
This fund now stands at Tls. 840,500.00 but in spite of this, your directors recommend applying further Tls. 259,500.00 out of the year's profits to this fund, and also calling up the balance of the Company's unissued capital.

The reorganisation of our yards and the various extensions we have in view, as outlined in my speech last year, have not proceeded as rapidly as I had hoped, due to reasons over which we have had no control, but they are going forward nevertheless as rapidly as possible.

The enormous increase in the cost of everything, however, will result in these extensions ultimately costing a great deal more than was originally contemplated. For this reason, as also in view of the very unsettled outlook in the world generally, your directors are strongly of the opinion that we should continue to nurse our resources as much as possible.

We are consequently requesting you to authorise the issue of the

balance of the Company's capital at a premium of Tls. 15 a share. There is every indication that, as a result of the unsettled state of affairs and inflation of values generally, we are drifting towards a serious financial crisis in Europe and America, which is bound to be reflected on here, and it would be a misfortune for us if our progress of steady development should thereby be interfered with.

A concern like ours cannot stand still—it either goes forward or rapidly backwards and, when conditions in the engineering trade have become normal again, it is those concerns which have kept up with the times and can, therefore, work rapidly and cheaply, that will continue to prosper.

By continuing to nurse our resources we are looking ahead and insuring that we shall be able to continue our business uninterrupted, even should bad times come, we not only take in the fortunate position of not having to go outside for financial assistance.

If you approve of our proposals, our paid up capital will be Tls. 750,000, and our reserve fund will be Tls. 1,200,000. Consequently the time will be rapidly approaching when we shall have to consider a reconstruction of the Company.

The phenomenal result of our last year's work is due to our steady extension which has enabled us not only to take in bigger work, but also to handle our work far more rapidly, so that the actual amount of work which we have been able to take in has been much larger.

An illustration of this I would point out that our turn-over in repairs alone exceeded that of the previous year by over Tls. 900,000.

I trust, therefore, that you will heartily support the recommendation of your directors with regard to the carrying forward of the year's profits.

During the year we have built two steam steel towboats, two steel and wood steam and motor launches, four composite motor vessels, one steel pontoon and two steel lighters, in addition to a large amount of repairs.

Satisfactory progress has been made on the four 2,000 ton steamers, the first of which has been launched and will shortly be delivered to the owners, and the remaining three vessels will be completed and delivered this year.

We have also in course of construction one steel towboat, two steel launches, three steel lighters, four steel pontoons, and one motor launch. Further contracts have been entered into for the construction of two 2,000-ton steel cargo steamers, one steel light tender, two steel lighters and one motor launch.

Our managing director, Mr. Brankston, is going on leave very shortly, and after the strenuous time he has been through during the past few years, I am sure you will join me in wishing him and his family a pleasant holiday. This, gentlemen, is all I have to say but, before sitting down, I shall be pleased to reply to any questions the shareholders may like to ask.

No questions were asked, the following resolutions were then unanimously passed:

Resolution 1 "That the report and accounts as presented be passed."

Proposed by H. E. Arnold. Seconded by T. H. Dollar.

Resolution 2 "That a dividend of Tls. 1.00 per share and a bonus Tls. 2.00 per share be paid for the year ended December 31, 1919."

Proposed by H. E. Arnold. Seconded by T. H. Dollar.

Resolution 3 "That the appointments of Mr. C. G. S. Mackie and Mr. C. R. Burkill as directors be confirmed and also that Mr. A. W. Brankston be re-elected a Director of the Company."

Proposed by J. S. S. Cooper. Seconded by J. S. S. Cooper.

Resolution 4 "That Messrs. G. H. and N. Thomson be re-elected auditors of the Company at a remuneration of Tls. 750.00 per annum."

Proposed by F. Schwyzer. Seconded by F. Schwyzer.

Resolution 5 "That a donation to patriotic and charitable funds of Shanghai Tels. 20,000.00 be appropriated out of the profits of the Company for distribution as the directors see fit."

Proposed by H. W. Tibbey. Seconded by E. O. Cumming.

Resolution No. 6 which went through as an amendment read as follows:

Resolution 6 (a) "That the paid up share capital of the Company be increased from Sh. Tls. 750,000.00 by the issue of the 20,665 shares being the balance of the unissued shares of the Company, ranking for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the existing shares of the Company."

(b) "That the said 20,665 shares be offered in the first instance at a premium of Tls. 15 per share to the members of the Company in proportion as nearly as may be to the number of shares held by them respectively on April 8, 1920, but so that fractional part of a share shall be issued,

and upon the footing that the full amount of each share taken up plus the premium (making together Tls. 20 per share) shall be paid to the Company upon acceptance of the offer, and that such offer be made by notice, specifying the number of shares to which the member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted by payment, will be deemed to be declined, and that the directors be empowered to dispose of the shares not taken in response to such offer, as also any surplus shares, in such manner as they think most beneficial to the Company," and was proposed by H. J. Clarke, seconded by Ellis Hayam.

Cotton Company Adjourns Meeting

As no decision has yet been given in the British Supreme Court in the case in which the Shanghai Cotton Company is involved, the extraordinary general meeting of the company that was adjourned and was to have been held yesterday afternoon at the offices at 49 Szechuen Road was again postponed and will be called again at the same place at 4 o'clock next Friday afternoon. The meeting was called for the purpose of considering the following resolution:

"That a Japanese company be promoted with a constitution in the form submitted to its meeting for the purpose of acquiring the under taking of the company and that such undertaking be sold to such new company when formed or on its formation or in course of its promotion according to the terms of the said constitution and the draft Agreement submitted to this meeting and that the directors be and they are hereby authorised to execute and to carry the same into effect, with such (if any) modifications as they may think fit."

The chairman yesterday referred to the court action, saying that as judgment has not yet been given the resolution could not be dealt with.

Steamer Monteagle Is Due In Today

Will Be Followed By Empress Of Japan Due To Arrive Tuesday Morning

The steamer Monteagle of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services is due to arrive at the Hongkong wharf at 8 o'clock this morning and will sail for Hongkong at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The Empress of Japan of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services with 72 passengers for this port and 72 for Hongkong, arrived at Kobe at 3 p.m. Thursday and is due at Woonsoong at 11 a.m. Tuesday.

The inward passengers are expected to arrive at the Customs Jetty about six o'clock Tuesday evening. The Japan sails for Hongkong direct the same night and the outgoing passenger tender will leave at 11 a.m.

Passengers Arrived
Per I-C. s.s. Koonshing from Tientsin: Mr. Bain.
Per C.N. s.s. Woonsoong from Hankow: Miss E. H. Bell, Messrs. E. K. Blau, Ned. Wedler.
Per C.N. s.s. Hain Fooking from Ningpo: Misses Monegon, V. C. Hill, Mr. Peacock.

Passengers Departed
Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Hankow: Messrs. R. H. Gregory, R. C. Harrison, Beuchot, W. Kien; for Kiukiang: Mr. and Mrs. A. N. T. Woodward.
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Takeshima Maru for Japan: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elwood, Lieut. A. R. Wurtele, Mr. and Mrs. Yamamoto, Messrs. H. J. Welch, A. F. Welch, S. J. Dyffe, Nogi, Hiratsuka, Tanabe.

Rockefeller Foundation Soon To Begin Building Shanghai Medical College

Details Concerning New Institution To Be Made Public On Return From United States Of Mr. Roger Greene Of China Board

While active plans are going forward for the building of the Shanghai Medical College, one of the two important projects of the Rockefeller Foundation in China, to be started this year, full details in connection with the new institution probably will not be announced until the return from America of Mr. Roger S. Greene, resident director of the China Medical Board, who is now on his way to America in response to a summons from New York. Dr. Henry S. Houghton, an administrative officer of the China Medical Board and Acting Dean of the Shanghai Medical College, returned yesterday to Peking after a visit here in connection with the building of the new school.

Following a general survey in the Far East and particularly in China that was made last summer by Dr. George E. Vincent, president of the Rockefeller Foundation, it was announced that final decision concerning the erection of the new institution in Shanghai would be reached at the annual meeting of the foundation, which was held in New York in December. The Shanghai Medical College has been under consideration since 1915, but the difficulty of obtaining building materials abroad, the lack of shipping, and other obstacles brought about by the war made it impracticable to begin the work.

LIKE Peking SCHOOL
The Shanghai Medical College is to follow along the lines of the Peking Union Medical College, the corner stone of which was laid on September 24, 1917, and which now is almost complete. The new College at the Peking institution is called, is a group of laboratories, hospital wards,

service buildings and staff residences that embody all features of a modern medical center and its external form is in close harmony with the best traditions of Chinese architecture.

In order to prepare students for the new college in Peking a pre-medical school was opened there in September of 1917, but instead of following this procedure in Shanghai the China Medical Board decided to extend aid to existing institutions in Shanghai and this now is being done. General architectural plans for the new Shanghai College have been completed for some time and the institution has been incorporated and has been granted a provisional charter from the regents of the University of New York.

FIX HIGH STANDARD
In both the Peking Union Medical College and the college to be established here facilities will be offered to those who desire to pursue graduate courses or to undertake research, but the main purpose of the institutions will be to train Chinese as practitioners of medicine according to standards of American schools of the best class. The curricula of the new schools will conform to that proposed by the Association of American Medical Colleges and the courses offered will be practically the same as those given in Harvard, Johns Hopkins, the University of Chicago and other institutions of the first rank.

The development of an indigenous medical profession of a high order in China and the ultimate transfer of this form of education to Chinese hands have been the announced aims of the Rockefeller Foundation.

Neglect By Coolie Cause Of Mystery, Doctor's Assertion

Amputated Limbs Thrown In Creek Instead Of Being Buried As Ordered

Disobedience of a coolie who was ordered to bury amputated limbs and instead threw them into Soochow Creek was the explanation made to the police yesterday by Dr. H. C. Med, clearing up a mystery which was believed to indicate a murder. A bundle containing two legs and a hand and forearm was found in the mud near the creek by the police and an investigation was started.

Dr. Med explained that the gruesome bundle was one sent from the Tung Del Medical School with a coolie who had been instructed to bury it but who had thrown it into the water instead. He said the coolie had made a confession. The letter reads:

"I am instructed by the Tung Del Medical School of 19 Markham Road to write you in regard to the reported finds of several human limbs on Markham Road, which have been published in the press, in order that any investigation the Police may have instituted may be facilitated and to clear up a supposed mystery."

"It appears that about two or three months ago certain amputated limbs were taken from the Paulun Hospital which is affiliated to the medical school

for demonstration purposes, and were immediately conserved in alcohol.

"Some of the limbs had been used in lectures on surgery and all were discarded during the China New Year holidays but were left in the school premises until last Sunday when Dr. Huang Sheng-pah, the business manager, instructed a coolie named Chin Foo to bury the same."

"The coolie disobeyed his instructions and threw the limbs into Soochow Creek wherefrom they were salvaged by unknown persons and deposited on an empty lot on Markham Road."

"The coolie has confessed to the school accountant and the latter has reported to the manager who desires to assist the police in clearing up the mystery of the find, in order that innocent persons might not be implicated."

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High Education Plan For Chinese

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, March 19.—The Ministry of Education has adopted a scheme to educate a number of Chinese in Mongolian, Tibetan and Arabic after which they will be used to teach the Chinese language in the Mongolian, Tibetan and Mohammedan regions of China, where higher schools using Chinese text books will be subsequently established.

North Dakota Swept By Worst Blizzard In Years; Five Killed

(Reuter's Service)
Bismarck, N. Dakota, March 16.—Five persons have been killed and \$10,000 damage has been caused by a two-day blizzard throughout the towns of North Dakota.

The blizzard, which has been the worst known in this district for 30 years, is now gradually diminishing in violence.

Erzberger Quits As Finance Head; Wins Libel Suit

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 13.—A Berlin telegram states that Herr Erzberger, the German Minister of Finance, has resigned.

Berlin, March 12.—Herr Helfferich has been sentenced to pay a fine of 300 marks in the libel case in which he alleged that Herr Erzberger had utilised his ministerial position for private financial advantage.

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EDWIN S. CUNNINGHAM,
American Consul General.
28512



Sealed bids will be received up to April 1st for the purchase of the old flagpole, now lying to the south of building No. 13 of the United States Consular property. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Edwin S. Cunningham,
American Consul General.
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FRENCH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

From April 1st, 1920, the French Municipal Council will issue separate licences for motor freight vehicles, freight trailers, motor delivery tricycles, trolleys, pony carts or vans.

For particulars, apply to the Tax Office, French Town Hall, Rue du Consulat.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary.
28529

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

We beg to announce to the public that we shall remove our office from the Oriental Hotel to No. 12 Sze Road on the 21st day of March, 1920.

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Kroewek Java Plantations, Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Tenth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1920, at 4 p.m., at No. 10 Canton Road, Shanghai, China.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 1st to the 3rd of April, 1920, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors
J. A. WATTIE & Co., Ltd.,
Secretaries and General Managers.
28503

S.S. Melville Dollar

The Steamer S.S. Melville Dollar has finished the discharge of her cargo at the Dollar Pier, Chin Ching Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their bills of lading for counter-signature and take delivery of their goods. All claims against the steamer must be sent in within ten days after completion of the steamer's discharge or they will not be recognized. All risks at the wharf to be borne by the consignees of the goods. Examination of damaged cargo will take place at the wharf on Monday, March 22nd, at 2.30 p.m.

The Robert Dollar Company
28515

NOTICE

We have this day disposed of the business hitherto carried on by us at Newchwang, Tientsin, Mukden, and elsewhere under the style of "E. S. Leeds & Company" to Messrs. Arnold Brothers & Co., Ltd. as a going concern, as from the 1st January, 1920.

E. S. LEEDS & COMPANY.

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28408

The Shanghai Land
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Issue of Tls. 250,000 6% Debentures of April 1, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given to the holders of 6% Debentures of the Company, of the issue of Tls. 250,000 made by the Company on the 1st day of April, 1900, that such Debentures will be redeemed, according to the tenor thereof, on the 1st day of April, 1920, that no interest will be paid after that date, and that the amount of each Debenture will be paid to the registered holder thereof by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation at Shanghai at par, and at Hongkong, Yokohama & London, at the Bank's buying rate for sight drafts on Shanghai, on delivery up of the Debentures properly endorsed.

By Order of the Directors,
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents.
Shanghai, March 16, 1920
28444

Shanghai Race Club

1st Extra Race Meeting, 1920
Saturday, 20th March.

There will be
A STEEPCHASE (First Race)
A HANDICAP
and
7 OTHER RACES.

The Races will commence at 1.15 p.m. Prompt.

ADMISSION

Tickets giving Admission to the Grand Stand & members' enclosure may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

Price \$3 each

Badges giving admission to the unreserved part of the enclosure may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Ltd., or at the gate.

Price \$1 each

Timms, Teas and Refreshments will be obtainable at the Course after 12.15 p.m.

For Member & Grand Stand Ticket Holders—in the Coffee Room.
For the Public—in the Public Refreshment Room.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.
Shanghai Race Club.
28495

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The public is hereby notified that Periodical Tickets of one, three, six and twelve months available between any two stations will be on sale on and after 15th March, 1920.

Such tickets, cost, and full particulars governing same, can be obtained on application to the Traffic Manager directly or through the station master of any station.

(ed) S. C. SHU,
Manager Director.
28394

EXPERT ACCOUNTANT-SECRETARY.

Young American with seven years' experience in New York business houses. College education. Very rapid in shorthand and typewriting. Open for engagement May 1. Particularly qualified in the importing and exporting line or as secretary. Address to Box No. 259, The China Press.

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THE NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA
Tel. N. 167. Export Department.
28458

SITUATIONS WANTED

CAPABLE clerk seeks immediate engagement, experienced in shipping, coding, bookkeeping, filing, typewriting. Has export knowledge and good references. Apply to Box 331, THE CHINA PRESS.
28531 M. 23

YOUNG man, with first-class experience in banking, at present employed, desires change of position. Has knowledge of accounts. A.I. references. Apply to Box 328, THE CHINA PRESS.
28520 M. 23

STEWART, twelve years experience in first-class hotels in France, Poland, Germany and Russia, desires position. Apply to Box 319, THE CHINA PRESS.
28508 M. 21

AN AMERICAN graduate lady artist (Chinese) desires position to do commercial drawings, designing, lettering, etc. with an American firm in Shanghai. Apply to Box 297, THE CHINA PRESS.
28438

EXPERIENCED stenotypist seeks position as private secretary, or similar work, preferably during morning hours. Apply to Box 277, THE CHINA PRESS.
28438

HOTEL MANAGER, 25 years experience in first-class modern hotels and restaurants in Europe and United States, thorough knowledge of English, French, German, Russian and Polish languages, hotel and restaurant bookkeeping, well-acquainted with construction, sanitary and electric installations, telephones, signalization, furnishing and general organization, seeks suitable position in the Far East. Apply to Box 280, THE CHINA PRESS.
28434

AMERICAN, college graduate, extensive ability, speaks Chinese fluently, at present employed in responsible position with export, import concerns, desires change. Advertiser is in position to hand several good agencies to his principals. Tls. 300 and commission required. Apply to Box 299, THE CHINA PRESS.
28474

YOUNG accountant desires work after office hours. Apply to Box 320, THE CHINA PRESS.
28509 M. 21

AMERICAN, 33, thoroughly experienced in import and export office routine, desires position. Can also do code work, bookkeeping, shorthand and typewriting. Apply to Box 315, THE CHINA PRESS.
28499 M. 21

SHANGHAI youth, starter, left school a year ago, wishes to be engaged as a junior clerk or office assistant. Has knowledge of typewriting, filing, etc. Good references. Moderate salary. Apply to Box 304, THE CHINA PRESS.
28500

CHINESE civil engineer, graduated from an American university, who has had field and railway shop experience, good salesman and office assistant, desires change of position. A.I. references. Apply to Box 309, THE CHINA PRESS.
28483 M. 20

YOUNG LADY, beginner, seeks position as stenotypist in reputable concern. Neat and accurate typist and capable of taking dictation at moderate rate. Salary no object. Apply to Box 308, THE CHINA PRESS.
28479 M. 20

WANTED: An experienced marine engineer seeks position on shore. First-class references. Apply to Box 289, THE CHINA PRESS.
28412 M. 20

OFFICE, ETC., WANTED

WANTED, one large room for office in central district. Apply to Box 332, THE CHINA PRESS.
28532 M. 23

WANTED, office space of about 1000 square feet. Immediate occupation, central district. Apply to Box 308, THE CHINA PRESS.
28482 M. 21

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED, loan of chow dog (male) for breeding, or willing to give pedigree bitch in exchange for two male pups. Apply to Box 316, THE CHINA PRESS.
28501 M. 21

DR. S. HODO, Veterinary Surgeon, graduated from Tokyo School. No. 22 Suchang Lane, first left lane after crossing Wang Pang Bridge, North Szechuen Road, Tel. N. 2344.

APARTMENTS

TO LET

with board, from the 24th inst., a furnished flat with verandah and bathroom attached. Also from the 1st prox., a furnished frontroom with verandah and bathroom, hot and cold water. Apply No. 14 Quinsan Gardens, Tel. N.432.

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Vacant April 1st. One large front room with bathroom attached. Suitable for married couple.
Apply Mrs. G. Pollock.

TO LET, with board, from 1st April, large comfortably furnished room, with private bathroom, suitable for married couple, two bachelor friends, or a single occupant. All modern comforts. Apply to Box 325, THE CHINA PRESS.

TO LET, with board, nicely furnished room; bathroom attached. Apply 3 Young Allen Terrace.

TWO comfortably furnished rooms, with verandah and bathroom attached, to let, with board. Suitable for family or bachelors. Private family, Quinsan district. Apply to Box 261, THE CHINA PRESS.
28502 M. 23

COMFORTABLE cosy room vacant in good home; excellent table, charming locality, tennis, garage. Apply 47 Weihaiwei Road.
28507 M. 19

NICELY furnished room, facing south, with verandah and private bath, in American home western district; phone West 240.
28510 M. 20

LARGE bedroom and bath, in modern American home, Western district, for two gentlemen. Meals if required. Apply to Box 300, THE CHINA PRESS.
28471 M. 20

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GENTLEMAN in outport wishes to correspond with honest and educated young lady (23-27) with view to matrimony. Replies confidential. Write to Box No. 334 c/o THE CHINA PRESS.

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, house, six rooms, Tls. 55. Western. Furniture good, must be taken over with lease. Apply to Box 328, THE CHINA PRESS.
28526 M. 21

TO LEASE, large comfortable house, ample servants' quarters, garage and stable, 138 Jessfield Road, formerly 20 Robinson Road at Jessfield Road. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, No. 51 Szechuen Road.
28512

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED, well-furnished room, with board, in private English family, for young lady. Bubbling Well Road district. Apply to Box 278, THE CHINA PRESS.
28428

WANTED, large room with bath, with or without board. State price and locality to Box 302, THE CHINA PRESS.
28476 M. 20

SITUATIONS VACANT

PLEASANT EMPLOYMENT: One of our Courses in Commercial Illustrating, Newspaper Illustrating, Caricaturing and Cartooning, Magazine and Book Illustrating, Industrial Design, etc., will give you preparation for pleasant and well-paid employment. Increased use of advertising in China demands more Commercial Illustrators. I.C.S. Illustrating Courses include drawing outfits and materials needed. Send for interesting catalog. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, 110 Nanking Road.

WANTED, typist with excellent knowledge of English. Shorthand not required. State qualifications and salary desired. Apply to Box 310, THE CHINA PRESS.
28485 M. 20

Amusement Advertising

will be found on
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PROFESSIONAL

MINING ENGINEERING: In your own home you can receive complete training in Metal and Coal Mining, Prospecting, Smelting, etc. I.C.S. Textbooks easy to study and apply in practice. Necessary supplies such as Blowing, Drawing Outfits, etc., carried in stock by China Agency for convenience of students. Write for information today. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, 110 Nanking Road.

EXPERIENCED lady gives English lessons. Willing to go to pupil's house in day-time to teach. Apply to Box 329, THE CHINA PRESS.
28267 M. 27

HIGHLY-EDUCATED artist, painter, sculptor gives lessons in painting, sculpture, 'cello playing, French language, decoration. Apply to Box 317, THE CHINA PRESS.
28505 M. 21

IF YOU are interested in learning Gregg or Pitman shorthand from competent American instructors, apply to Box 313, THE CHINA PRESS.
28491 M. 24

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED for rent, house furnished or unfurnished, with 3 to 5 rooms, kitchen, garden. In French town. Apply to Box 327, THE CHINA PRESS.
28523 M. 23

WANTED by American couple, to rent small furnished house, having modern improvements. Occupancy desired within next two months. Write, giving location and price, to Box 318, THE CHINA PRESS.
28506 M. 25

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

OFFICES to let, one and two room suites, very large rooms on ground and first floor, at and near this address. Apply J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.
28464

EXCHANGE AND MORT

FOR SALE, two-seater Saxon car, newly painted and overhauled, new tyres, electric lighting, in perfect condition. Price Tls. 400. Apply to Box 330, THE CHINA PRESS.
28530 M. 23

FOR SALE one Stearns-Knight 4-cylinder, 6-passenger touring car, in excellent condition and running order, recently overhauled and furnished with new top and new battery; owner going home. For particulars, please apply to The Shanghai Horse Bazaar and Motor Company, Ltd., Motor Garage Telephone—West 1641, 1642 and 1643.
28514 M. 21

MODERN five-seater touring car for sale, newly overhauled and painted, new non-skid tyres all around. A bargain, Tls. 700. Apply to Box 324, THE CHINA PRESS.
28513 M. 21

FOR SALE. We have received a large consignment of twist drills manufactured by the Standard Tool Co., Union Twist Drill Co., and Cleveland Twist Drill Co., in sizes from 3/64" to 1 1/2", which will be sold at attractive prices. Apply to B. Dieden and Co., Ltd., 2 Jinkee Road.
28453

SIX cylinder, two seater Oakland motor car, used only five months. Owner going away. Price Tael 1,450. Trial by appointment. Apply to Box 314, THE CHINA PRESS.
28498 M. 24

FOR SALE: Boarding house, completely furnished, 15 rooms, to be sold as a running concern. Each room occupied by guests, Bubbling Well district. Apply to Box 301, THE CHINA PRESS.
28473 M. 23

FOR SALE, Smith typewriting machine, cheap. Apply to Box 307, THE CHINA PRESS.
28481 M. 21

ONE of the handsomest touring cars in Shanghai for sale, cheap: A seven-passenger Hudson newly painted and overhauled, excellent running condition, four speeds, almost new cord tyres. A genuine bargain. Apply to Box 295, THE CHINA PRESS.
28469

FOR SALE, six-cylinder, seven-passenger Buick car, in fine shape and a good bargain. Used less than 6,000 miles. Price wanted, Tls. 1,500. For trial or inspection apply to Box 296, THE CHINA PRESS.
28468

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

**Banque Industrielle
de Chine**

Capital authorized	Fra. 250,000
Capital subscribed	" 150,000
Capital paid up	" 75,000
Reserve	" 30,000

One third of the Capital i.
 Fra. 50,000,000 subscribed by

**THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
 CHINESE REPUBLIC**

Statutes approved by the Gov-
 ernment of the Chinese Republic
 January 11th, 1913.

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General Manager: A. J. PERE

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accounts in Gold or local currency
 and fixed deposits on application
 Every description of Banking
 exchange business transacted
 Savings accounts in Gold and
 Currency.
 G. LION,
 Manager

In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market, sampled on March 16, 1920.

Butcher's Meat

Beef	per lb.	14-20
Pork		16-20

cream	per lb.	18.30
cod	"	16-17
mandarin	"	30-40
ackerel	"	14-15
omfret	"	25-30
salmon	"	18-20

Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	non
Huck	each	60-8
are		non
Eggs	per doz.	18-2
owl	per lb.	20-2

Partridge	each	70-11
Heasant	"	non
Geons	"	non
Quail	"	20-2
Pheasants	"	20-2
Snipe	"	18-2
Teal	"	16-1
Turkey	per lb.	60-6
Woodcock	each	50-5
Wild Duck	"	35-4

Wild Geese	"	50-6
Wild Pigeons	"	non
Fruit		
apricots	per lb.	non
apples	"	16-2
bananas	"	6-8
figs	per doz.	non
grapes	per lb.	non
lemons	each	6-7
peaches	per lb.	non

lingoes	each	none
ranges	per lb.	10-1
aches	per lb.	none
ears	"	10-1
ersimmons	"	none
eeboos	"	none
iums	"	none
umeloes	each	15-20
ineapples		none
trawberries	per lb.	none

Walnuts	per lb.	18-2
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	non
Sprad Beans	per lb.	6-8
Chestnut	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	non
Cabbage	each	5-1
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	10-2

celery	per bunch	2-1
Egg Plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	"	25-3
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	per lb.	10-1
Parsnips	per bunch	6-8
Peas	per lb.	8-1
Potatoes	per piece	\$3.50-3

Spinach	per lb.	3-4
Tomatoes	"	15-2
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	\$4.5
Flour, Australian	"	\$3.8
Flour, Shanghai	"	\$2.6
Rice	200 lb.	\$8.5
Milk		

Foreign dairies per bottle 2
Chinese dairies " 1

Fuel

House Coal per ton Tls. 18.0
Stove Coal " Tls. 22.0
Firewood per 50 bundles \$1

Laundry

Per 100 articles \$5.00-54

H. KILNER,
Chief Inspector

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS
SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
Chartered	1510 B.
Marine Insurance	1510 B.
Canton	1510 B.
North China	1510 B.
Union of Canton	1510 B.
Yongtse	1510 B.
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	1510 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	1510 B.
Hongkong Fire	1510 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	1510 B.
Indo-China Fret.	1510 B.
"Shell"	1510 B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	1510 B.
Shanghai Tug prof	1510 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	1510 B.
Oriental Cons.	1510 B.
Raub	1510 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	1510 B.
Shanghai Dock	1510 B.
New Eng. Works	1510 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	1510 B.
Hongkong Wharf	1510 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	1510 B.
China Land	1510 B.
Shanghai Land	1510 B.
Wellington Land	1510 B.
China Realty (ord.)	1510 B.
China Realty (pref.)	1510 B.
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (ord.)	1510 B.
Ewo Pref.	1510 B.
Laon-kung-mow	1510 B.
Oriental	1510 B.
Shanghai Cotton	1510 B.
Kungyik	1510 B.
Yangtsepo	1510 B.
Yangtsepo Pref.	1510 B.
Industries	
Butler Tiles	1510 B.
China Sugar	1510 B.
Green Island	1510 B.
Langkats	1510 B.
Major Bros	1510 B.
Shai Sumatra	1510 B.
Stores	
Wall & Halls	1510 B.
Llewellyn	1510 B.
Lane, Crawford	1510 B.
Moutrie	1510 B.
Watson	1510 B.
Weeks	1510 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	1510 B.
Amherst	1510 B.
Anglo-Java	1510 B.
Anglo-Dutch	1510 B.
Ayer Tawah	1510 B.
Bata Amam 1918	1510 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	1510 B.
Chamun United	1510 B.
Chempedak	1510 B.
Cheng	1510 B.
Consolidated	1510 B.
Dominion	1510 B.
Bula Kalumpung	1510 B.
Kamunting	1510 B.
Kapala	1510 B.
Kapayang	1510 B.
Karan	1510 B.
Kota Bahroo	1510 B.
Kroowek Java	1510 B.
Padang	1510 B.
Pengkalan Durian	1510 B.
Pengkala	1510 B.
Raph	1510 B.
Samsagga	1510 B.
Seokee	1510 B.
Semamba	1510 B.
Senawang	1510 B.
Shanghai Kiebang	1510 B.
Shanghai Malay	1510 B.
Shai Malay pref.	1510 B.
Shanghai Pahang	1510 B.
Sungala	1510 B.
Sungel Duri	1510 B.
Sua Manggis	1510 B.
Thai Kalantak	1510 B.
Thai Boremban	1510 B.
Taipang	1510 B.
Tanah Merah	1510 B.
Tebong	1510 B.
Tlobri	1510 B.
Siangbe	1510 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	1510 B.
Cully Dairy	1510 B.
Shai Elec. & Ash	1510 B.
Shanghai Trams	1510 B.
Shanghai Gas	1510 B.
Horse Bazaar	1510 B.
Shanghai Mercury	1510 B.
Shai Telephone	1510 B.
Shai Waterworks	1510 B.
S. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers	1510 B.

Benjamin and Potts, 5 Jinkoo Rd.
Telephone No. Central 256Sharebrokers' Association
TransactionsShanghai, March 19, 1920.
UNOFFICIAL
Anglo-Dutch Tls. 3.25 cash
New Eng. Tls. 30.60 cash

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H. C. WANG

General Manager: Tung Hain Zhang Egg Factories, Hung Yue Chong Egg Factory, Hain Chong.

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, March 19, 1920.
Money and Bullion
Sovereigns: Buying rate,
@ 7/5 = Tls. 3.75
@ exch. 75.8 = Mex. \$3.75
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 135 1/4 = Tls. 0.74
@ exch. 73.8 = Mex. \$1.00
Mex. Dollars: Market Rate
73.575

Shanghai Gold Bars: 375 touth
Tls. 108
Bar Silver 998 touth Tls. 111
Copper Cash per tael Tls. 188.500
Native Interest Tls. 04

Latest London Quotations
Bar Silver 68 1/4 d.
Bank Rate of Discount 9%
Market Rate of Discount:
3 m/s. 5 1/2%
4 m/s. 5 1/2%
6 m/s. 5 1/2%
Ex. Paris on London Fr. 50.24
Ex. New York on London T.T.
G. \$3.73 1/2

Exchange Opening Quotations
London T.T. 7/2
Demand 7/3 1/2
India T.T. 312
Paris T.T. 1825
New York T.T. 135
New York Demand 136 1/4
Hongkong T.T. 67 1/2
Japan T.T. 333
Batavia T.T. 333

Bank's Buying Rates
London 4 m/s. Ctds. 7/6 1/2
London 4 m/s. Decy. 7/6 1/2
London 6 m/s. Ctds. 7/7 1/2
London 6 m/s. Decy. 7/8
Paris 4 m/s. Decy. 145 1/2
New York 4 m/s. Decy. 145 1/2

Tourists' Exchange
@ Bank's Closing Demand Buy-
ing Rates
£10 @ exch. 7/6 =
G. \$50 @ exch. 140 Sh. Tls. 26.67
Fr. 250 @ exch. 1920 =
Sh. Tls. 13.02
1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. \$1.36
at Bank's selling rate for Mexican
Dollars.

Today's Banks Selling Rate for
Marks
Marks 7,500 = Tals 100
" 100 = Mex. \$1.52

ROUBLES EXCHANGE
Today's Bank Buying Rate
For Roubles
Roubles 10,000 = Tls. 100
" 100 = Mex. \$1.35

Exchange Shop Rates
Buying: 100 Old Roubles \$1.95
" 100 New " \$1.35
Selling: 100 Old " \$2.05
" 100 New " \$1.45

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE
RATES FOR MARCH
HK. Tls. 2.11 @ 8/6 1/2 \$21
" 1 @ 2083 Fr. 23.20
" 0.62 @ 144 1/2 Gold \$1
" 1 @ 31 Yen 3.59
" 1 @ 323 1/2 Rupees 3.60
" 1 @ -- Roubles 3.60
" 1 @ 1.50 Mex. \$1.50

Rubber Prices
Messrs. R. N. Truman and Co.
have received the following tele-
graphic report from their Singa-
pore Agents in connection with
the auctions held on March 17.
Average price realised:
No. 1 Smoked Sheet \$1.07 1/2
per pound equivalent to 2s. 6 1/4 d.
ex warehouse Singapore.
No. 1 Crepe \$1.08 per pound
equivalent to 2s. 6 d. ex ware-
house Singapore.
Poor demand. Offered 915
tons; sold 467 tons.

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Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, March 19, 1920.

OFFICIAL
Chemors Tls. 0.65
Consolidated Tls. 2.50
Dominions Tls. 5.00
Java Consolidated Tls. 11.00
Shanghai Lands Tls. 70.00
Langkats (Com.) Tls. 17.50

March
New Engineering Tls. 30.50
March
Ewo Cotton (ord.) Tls. 730.00
Tls. 740.00 June
Oriental Cotton Tls. 312.50
March
Tls. 335.00 June
Tls. 325.00 March
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 73.00
June
Yangtsepo Cotton Tls. 45.00
Tls. 45.50 March
Tls. 48.50
Tls. 49.00
Yangtsepo Insurance \$235.00
Almas Tls. 6.00
Oriental Cotton Tls. 360.00
June

UNOFFICIAL
H. & S. Banks \$520.00
New Engineering Tls. 34.00
June
Ewo Cotton (ord.) Tls. 650.00
Tls. 660.00
Tls. 670.00 March
Oriental Cotton Tls. 315.00
March
Tls. 350.00 June
Yangtsepo Cotton Tls. 48.25
Tls. 49.25
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 73.00
June
Anglo Javay Tls. 7.50
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Japanese Bond: 5%
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Stock Exchange
Meeting

The annual general meeting of the members of the Shanghai Stock Exchange was held yesterday afternoon at the Exchange, when Mr. Henry J. Clark presided, supported by Messrs. F. J. Barrett, C. K. Ellis, D. M. Gubbay, W. G. Worcester, committee and Mr. F. B. Walker, secretary.

The chairman's speech follows: Gentlemen.—I have the pleasure of addressing you briefly this afternoon. My predecessor in his speech from the chair at the last annual meeting stated that he saw no reason to suppose that the year (1919) would bring us anything but good business and as he then felt justified in congratulating you on the work of 1918; perhaps I may be permitted to also congratulate you on the results of 1919 and without wishing to appear too optimistic I venture to hope that 1920 may be as good and I hope even better for all of us.

For the first two months of the present year share business was very quiet and even depressing—possibly the aftermath of the very heavy settlement in December and the extraordinary stringency in the money market and it speaks volumes for this institution that everything was satisfactorily arranged between brokers and clients.

With the advent of easier financial conditions and continued soundness, in most, if not all, local stocks, the outlook at present is encouraging I think.

The attempt to inaugurate a clearing system for quarterly settlements has not had the success hoped for—a trial was made at the April settlement—a very small one—it was seen, however, that on the lines suggested it was not feasible for big quarterly settlements—the idea is not lost, slight of and it is to be hoped that some scheme may be devised sooner or later to obviate the present cumbersome method of passing securities from hand to hand many times during the day.

The feature of the past year and one of the greatest importance to the "house" was the judgment given by His Honor Sir Havilland

de Saumarez in the "Morgan V. Mack" case on March 18, in favor of the plaintiff—as you are all aware the defense put up was that the contracts for forward business should specify the numbers by which such shares were designated in the registers of the companies issuing them. We may congratulate ourselves on the outcome which protects the members of this exchange in similar cases.

The Stock Exchange some years ago agitated for what you now read as accomplished in the papers, that all British companies registered under the Hongkong ordinances must have British managers and or agents and British directors—this avoiding, in case of need, appeal to any but a British Court.

This is all I have to say gentlemen, except to ask your loyal support of the actions of the new committee, the personnel of which is entirely changed—Messrs. D. H. Gubbay and F. J. Barrett retire after many years of devoted service to your interests, the former leaves for home early next month and I feel that you will join me in wishing him a very pleasant holiday—several former members of the Committee have rejoined it so that you may rest assured that your best interests and those of the "house" will be carefully watched.

I may here mention that during the past year two members have resigned, Messrs. W. A. Reed and G. W. S. Davidson and their seats

have been acquired by your Committee.

In view of the prosperous state of affairs the Committee feels that they are giving expression to your wishes in donating the sum of £250 to the King's Fund for Disabled Soldiers and Sailors.

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Observations

BY T. R. JERNIGAN

THE February number of the New China Review contains an article by Professor E. H. Parker on the Japanese-Chinese Question. It is well known that Prof. Parker has written several books on subjects relating to China, and that each is an authority, but the article in the Review is unusually informing in that it presents the question from a new view point. There are unfortunately too many questions between Japan and China and the time has about come when a final answer must be given to many of them in the interest of public order, but the question which Prof. Parker has reasonably answered in his article is as important as any now seriously engaging the diplomatic attention of Japan and China and also arresting and holding that of the other great powers of the world.

A welcome purpose may be inferred, from the article, to clear away the doubts as to the nationality of the original holders of the land now marked on the map of China as Inner Mongolia, and it is fortunate for the accuracy of history that one so competent has undertaken to search out the facts. Prof. Parker should be allowed to submit the result of his researches in his own words:

"With the help of a little history, and some reasonable allowance for human nature it may be possible for those who have never dwelt long in the Far East to gain a clearer vision of the issues that threaten to embitter feeling between the two most prominent yellow powers. In the first place the Japanese interest in Inner Mongolia is over 1,700 years old, for towards the end of the second century of our Christian era a Tungusic conqueror, then struggling with the ancestors of the Turks on the one hand and with the Chinese on the other, finding himself short of food supplies, bethought him of the expedient of introducing expert Japanese fishermen to work on the Mongolian lake, to this day still known as the Pu-Yu-Hai, or Fish-Catching Sea. The descendants of this Tungusic conqueror did ultimately conquer and for several centuries reign as Emperors over the northern half of China, their proclivities being Buddhist rather than Confucian."

What is quoted is substantially confirmed in a book written by Professor Ryuzo, of the Tokyo Imperial College of Science, and in which it is maintained that the early Japanese settlers who drove the aborigines towards the North were of Tungusic origin. And writes Prof. Parker: "According to the Chinese history of the above mentioned Tungusic dynasty (recognised and chronicled by Chinese as a legitimate dynasty) the descendants of the Japanese fishermen thus introduced were still found on the lake in the fifth or sixth century A.D. It seems clear, therefore that, rightly or wrongly, bodies of Japanese settled in parts of Eastern Mongolia long before the Chinese did so, or claim to have done so."

When two such erudite scholars in Oriental literature are so near

in agreement it is difficult to doubt the conclusion of either. It is quite evident that these two scholars are at least convinced that the Chinese were not the original occupants of Inner Mongolia, and that the historical record proves they never supposed they were until later in the centuries. Prof. Ryuzo appears convinced that the Ainu were driven to Northern Japan by the Tungusic ancestors on the Japanese and the evidence he offers is not to be disregarded, but however it may be with his theory of the Ainu fleeing to Northern Japan to escape the Tungus, there is no doubt that the Ainu have lived in this northern section for centuries and are still living there, and did not voluntarily select that cold region as their place of abode. If further investigation of this question should tend to establish, with greater clearness, that the Tungus were a part of the Japanese who went into Japan by way of Korea, it could be accepted that these Tungus were a branch of the Japanese race and, as such, can show a claim to possess Inner Mongolia prior to any claim the Chinese can show, and a claim which was successfully defended against both the Turks and Chinese.

It is learned from Prof. Parker's article that "towards the end of the ninth century of our era, the Japanese government had diplomatic intercourse with a well-organised Tungusic state occupying the greater part of what we now call Central Manchuria, and that both this advanced Tungusic state and Japan herself used to send students freely to the Chinese colleges," and the further statement is made, without qualification, "that during the thousand years (with a break of pure Chinese rule from about 600 to 900 A.D.) North China was under continuous Tartar rule (about 370 to 1370 A.D.)—the Japanese had as much legitimate political interest in Eastern Mongolia and Manchuria as had the Chinese, and moreover had there as many settlers or descendants of settlers."

The conclusion would seem to be fully warranted, that a tribe or the part of a race of people, known as the Tungusic, had established a government of their own in Inner Mongolia, formed diplomatic relations with other states and all long before the Chinese ever thought that Mongolia or Manchuria or any division of either belonged to them. And there is the other conclusion, that this tribe or part of a race were in all probability the ancestors of the modern Japanese who at this present time, are earnestly thinking of returning to their old home and there live again, as rightful descendants, on the banks of the Fish-Catching Sea.

And if the Japanese should decide that they wanted a portion of their people to reside in Mongolia and Manchuria the question arises, if there is an authority inclined and capable of defeating the decision? There is no Kublai Khan to drive the Japanese out of Mongolia and Manchuria and confine them to their islands as was done between the dates 1200-1294. Although the Chinese outnumber the Japanese about five to one it would be playing with hope to look for a successful resistance from that source, and Prof. Parker has not hesitated to write what he thinks of Chinese character, as a resisting and developing power. It was about time, too, for some scholar who had looked deep into Chinese character to place his opinion before an intelligent public, and under the sanction of a name that is a guarantee of impartiality.

In one brief sentence the fundamental difference between the Chinese and Westerners is with the utmost clearness defined. It is stated, that "for 2,500 or 3,000 years past the whole of the Chinese morality reposes upon the conception of individual family continuity rather than patriotism or loyalty to one ruling race. The principle here foregrounded has influenced Chinese thought during the long years just mentioned, and has practically destroyed all national spirit in China. It places the family, the tribe, before country, and inculcates the doctrine that the interest of the family is paramount to the interest of the country. It teaches that instead of the patriotic saying, my country right or wrong, that it should be, my family, my clan, my district, my province, right or wrong, and hence the inherent defect in the Chinese mind which has seemed to suppress all higher individual and national aims. The mistaken and hurtful doctrine alluded to did not escape Prof. Parker, and he refers to it with severe but merited justice, giving it a practical application in its bearing on recent events, and which illus-

trates the unhappy situation in which it has involved China. It is easy to detect the hurtful influence of the principle of individual family continuity and to see its almost fatal application to China in the instance of many that could be given, in the following words: "China's best friends must feel that she lost golden opportunities of establishing herself as a world power during the four or five years of harrowing uncertainty. If in 1915-1917 she had been able to put up as much well-considered public spirit in favor of justice and democracy the world over as she ultimately displayed of ill-considered public spirit against the Japanese success at the Peace Conference of 1919, which might easily have been arranged without recourse to boycotts and violence, she would probably have by this time taken high rank after or even with the 'Big Five.'"

But unfortunately during the three critical years when her effective government, if united, might have done everything, because of personal considerations of power, did nothing at all, or acted in doubtful good faith when it tried to do something more or less definite; nothing could be more ill-judged than for one ally who had done practically nothing for the common cause to try and force another ally who had done everything for the common cause to submit through the agency of the general body of Allies to mutilation and self-stultification, more especially when the one ally thus seeking publicly to humiliate the other had, through her highest officers of State, meekly agreed (without the general body of the Allies knowing exactly what she was doing, and why) to sign agreements against her own permanent interest, acquiescing meanwhile with the enemies' subjects."

In this arraignment of China the language used by Prof. Parker need not be moderated, in view of the uncertain and wabbling and disloyal attitude which the Chinese allowed their government to occupy at the time when all that manhood should cherish most was at stake. There were no concentrations on any lines of national patriotism and safety and no great fundamental principles moving the people to a single thought and aim. On a great occasion like the Peace Conference, China held within herself the reserve power to have shown as an equal, but her reserve power was neutralised by "individual family continuity," the doctrine which has subordinated the interest of the country to the interest of the family and clan and forbidden China to rise to national eminence. It has created selfishness and greed, cultivated in official life, and which, in the later years has developed into a mania for gain which readily betters the country. The alleged government now in power at Peking has its orators in most of the open ports appealing in behalf of saving Shantung from Japanese aggression while the general talk and belief is that the Peking Government is mortgaging piece by piece the Province of Shantung to the Japanese.

It will not be successfully questioned that while the Peking Government was sending delegates to the Peace Conference to defend China's rights that same government was secretly coquetting with Germany and obeying the wishes of Japanese. If China is ambitious to live in the confidence of the first class nations of the world she will have to repudiate and suppress the indicated methods of government.

THE CALIPHATE

For A Turkish Settlement On Political Rather Than Religious Principles

By THEODORE P. ION

The discussion as to the maintenance of the Caliphate in Constantinople which has been fervently carried out for some time in the British press by some of the Mohammedan intellectuals of India and their British friends, shows more than ever, the absolute necessity of giving a final solution to the eternal Eastern question. But this solution cannot be permanent unless it is arrived at according to the dictates of reason and justice and not in order to satisfy temporarily the religious feelings of a particular sect.

The question is a political and not a religious one, although it is the latter character that some of the misguided or blind admirers of the decrepit Ottoman Empire so ardently trying to give to it. In fact, the transfer of the Caliphate from Darul Roum (the country of the Romans), or straits to Darul Islam (the country of Islam) has nothing whatever to do with either Christianity or Mohammedanism. Any one acquainted with the Muslim doctrine of the Caliphate knows that the Caliph, or Vicar of Mohammed, has two attributes closely

connected with each other, the one religious and the other political, and as the Mohammedan theologians and jurists tell us, a Caliph is both an Imam and an Emir; the first title applying to his spiritual, the second to his temporal authority.

Without entering into the discussion as to the legality or illegality of the claim of the Turkish sovereigns to the Caliphate, it may be pertinent to ask whether, in view of the humiliating position to which the Caliph has been reduced, it is not in the interests of Islam itself to select as the abode of the Vicar or the founder of their religion a more congenial place and one removed from "infidel" environment? From the purely religious point of view such a solution should appeal to a pious Mohammedan for more than one reason.

In the first place, the position of the Caliph in the City of Constantinople, in which the majority of the population, namely the non-Muslims, look upon him with abhorrence, and are eager to seize the first opportunity to out him from that city, to say the least not an enviable one.

Secondly, even assuming that the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference ultimately decides that Constantinople should continue to be the capital of the Ottoman State, which would be a most unfortunate political blunder fraught with serious consequences, it is certain that in such a case the temporal power of the Caliph will be so curtailed that it will be purely perfunctory, thus giving rise to a situation contrary to the Mohammedan conception of the Caliphate.

That being so, how can the "faithful" look with reverence upon the Viceregent of their Prophet, who will be reduced to the humiliating position of Vassal of the "infidels"? Is it not more dignified, nay, more in consonance with the Islamic tradition, that the Vicar of Mohammed should be entirely independent and should exercise his sovereignty in a country where he can fully wield the authority of a Caliph without any restriction whatsoever? If the defenders of the Caliphate were moved purely by religious reasons, they would favor the idea of the removal of its seat to the very birthplace of the founder of their religion, and would have advocated the bestowal of that high dignity upon some person who is nearer to Mohammed by blood rather than upon any other Mohammedan potentate. If this agitation had a religious object, these Far Eastern defenders of Islam, instead of clinging to the Ottoman Sultan, a usurper of the Caliphate, would have championed the cause of the King of the Hedjaz, who would undoubtedly be eager to assume the title of the Viceregent of Mohammed. But if for reasons which non-Muslims cannot understand or have no right to question these pious Indian Mohammedans prefer the retention of that high dignity by the Turkish Sultan, one may well wonder why they strenuously object to the removal of the seat of the Caliphate to a country like Central Asia Minor, where there is a compact Mohammedan population. The reason for this equivocal conduct of the so-called champions of the Caliphate must be ascribed to their ardent wish to retain the sovereignty of Turkey over Constantinople, and not to their desire to uphold the traditions of Islam. The question is therefore a political and not a religious one, and the "pious garb" is simply adopted in order to intimidate the representatives of the great powers at the Peace Conference, which have so many millions of Mohammedans as subjects.

The Indian Muslims or their intellectuals, evidently follow blindly the Islamic tradition on the Caliphate, according to which—at least as the expounders of Mohammedan law tell us—a Caliph is irrevocable and should be upheld, regardless of his vices, his cruelty, or tyranny.

This conception of the Caliphate explains the silence of the Mohammedans of India and other countries during the horrible massacres of the Hamidian era, when not a word of reproach was uttered by the followers of Islam. Nor were they at all moved when the perpetrators of similar horrors were persons devoid of any sacred character whatever, such as the detestable "Young Turks."

The Mohammedan intellectuals and their European friends seem preoccupied with the idea of not wounding the susceptibilities of their co-religionists in India. But how about the susceptibilities of the Christian world? Are the 70,000,000 Indian Muslims going to impose upon the 500,000,000 or 600,000,000 Christians of Europe and America their will as to the choice of the government in a city which is in the very midst of Christian Europe, and in which the majority of the population is not Mohammedan but Christian?

It is time for the Mohammedans to realise that the mere fact of the Turks being their co-religionists can't forever justify the adepts of the Islamic faith to continue to maintain their rule, or, rather, their misrule, in countries which they have drrenched with the blood of millions of innocent people.

Rights Under Prohibition

By WAYNES B. WHEELER
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Much is being said about individual and personal rights in discussing the Eighteenth Amendment. It is well to remember that society has rights as well as individuals. Mr. Hirst in an interesting article emphasised individual rights. We submit the following to emphasise the rights of society.

The Government of the United States was established to protect the rights of the whole people, as well as those of individuals. Sometimes individuals desire to conduct themselves in a manner which the Government declares to be detrimental to the public good and the general welfare. When the rights of an individual and of society come in conflict, individual rights, unless they are specifically guaranteed in the Constitution, must give way to the larger rights of society.

The Government of the United States is a splendid illustration of the development of organised society. In the beginning a few disconnected colonies endeavored to work out their governmental problems separately. The failure of this effort is manifest to every one who has studied the history of this country. As the failure became more apparent, sentiment grew in favor of a stronger union of the American colonies for protection against their enemies. Finally the articles of confederation were agreed upon and each State was guaranteed its own legislative body and certain other governmental rights. There was no centralized form of government to enforce Federal laws in the colonies where they were not in sympathy with the Federal Government action. This weakness was so troublesome that finally the Constitution of the United States was drafted and adopted to correct it. The tendency of the times from that day to the present has been toward a centralized Government and to carry out more thoroughly the purposes of this Federal Government.

It is true that the powers of the Federal Government are delegated powers and Congress acts only in harmony with the powers granted. In determining, however, the scope of the power once granted, the courts have constantly grown more liberal in trying to determine what is the purpose of the Government, and not lay so much emphasis upon technical construction. In other words, the court of last resort has construed the Constitution of the United States in a manner so as to permit the people to keep step with progressing civilisation.

This does not mean that the court has strained the meaning of the Constitution beyond a legitimate construction. This nation is fortunate, however, in having a Supreme Court that realises that conditions change and the Constitution was framed to promote the general welfare of all the people rather than any special selfish or local interest.

There is a persistent effort being made to make it appear that Article 10 of the Federal Constitution amended all sections of the Constitution in such a way as to prevent any further change in this article.

Article 10 is merely a declaration of a rule by which the power belonging to the States and the United States may be determined. It was not sought by Article 10 to limit or modify in any way Article 5, with regard to amending the Constitution. It is simply the enunciation of a rule for determining whether a power is to be exercised by the Federal Government or State Government. Article 10 contemplates that the Constitution may be amended and lays down the rule that the right to exercise any power is to be determined in a certain way provided by the Constitution at the time it is sought to determine the same. The reserved powers of the States up until the time of the adoption of the Eighteenth Amendment controlled the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, but there is nothing in the Constitution nor in the history of its adoption which indicated that our forefathers meant to prohibit the people from changing that Constitution and releasing those reserved powers of the States to whatever extent the people desired. Article 10 simply made clear the doctrine which was enunciated by Theodore Roosevelt years ago that there is no twilight zone within which a State of Federal Government cannot reach a recognised evil. In other words, either the Federal or State Government has the right to act in all proper legislative matters. If the people want to change the authority which either unit of government exercises over a given subject matter, it may do so in the manner provided in the Constitution.

The power to amend the Constitution of the United States is unlimited except in two particulars named in Article 5. One with reference to slavery before a certain year and the other with reference to equal representation in the United States Senate. On all other questions there is no limitation except as to the method prescribed in that article. George Washington in his Farewell Address in 1796

said: "The basis of our political system is the right of the people to make and alter their Constitutions of government." Thomas Jefferson referred to this power to amend as the indefeasible, indubitable and inalienable right. In our form of government the people are the court of last resort. When they decide to amend the Constitution of the United States, and follow the procedure outlined therein, and the subject matter is not exempted from Article 5, there is no power to prevent them from so acting. If they make a mistake, the only remedy is to inform the people and correct the mistake in the manner provided by law.

Most of the objections of the Eighteenth Amendment are answered when we reach the right conclusion about the scope of the power granted to the people under Article 5. When the people have used that power it is well for all loyal citizens to remember the words of Washington in his Farewell Address:

"But the Constitution which at any time exists till changed by an explicit and authentic act of the whole people is sacredly obligatory upon all. The very idea of the power and the right of the people to establish government presupposes the duty of every individual to obey the established Government."

The adoption of the Eighteenth Amendment was accomplished in a legal and orderly manner. The subject-matter had been discussed for many decades. As the Supreme Court of Mississippi said some years ago as a prophecy, (67 So. 651), in speaking for prohibition: "This ultimate end is approached step by step, and when the preponderant and prevailing morality of the nation believes that the public's welfare demands the final step, the way will be found to accomplish the end."

That end was found and the method for accomplishing it was written into the Constitution, and is known as the Eighteenth Amendment.

The contention that the Eighteenth Amendment deprives States of sovereignty is not well founded. When each State joined the Union it surrendered a part of its sovereignty and agreed that whenever two-thirds of Congress submitted an amendment and three-fourths of the State Legislatures ratified it, it would abide by the result. In forming a Federal Government the State, in order to get the greater blessings that come from a centralized Government, took the chance as to how far its sovereign power would be invaded. The citizens of the States well knew that there was enough of local pride and selfishness in the States to guarantee them against any dangerous invasion. Their remedy was to point out to the people in the long, tedious process provided for amending the Constitution any danger that lurked in a given proposal.

Every argument, threat, and corrupting influence that was ever brought to bear in the interest of any traffic or business was marshaled against the Eighteenth Amendment. Those who championed it had nothing but the logic of their appeal; and they told the truth persistently and good-naturedly until the truth prevailed.

If the Eighteenth Amendment is repugnant to the conscience of the American people, it will not take long to remedy the wrongful act. The only method provided for the liquor interest to change or repeal the Eighteenth Amendment is to elect two-thirds of Congress, to submit a repeal or amendment to it and then elect Legislatures in three-fourths of the States in sympathy with the change. This is the only manly American way for the liquor traffic to do if they think the people are in favor of re-establishing the beverage liquor traffic in this country. The law enacted by Congress to enforce the Eighteenth Amendment may, of course, be changed by a succeeding Congress. The chief objection against the law is in the definition of intoxicating liquor. Justice Brandeis pointed out in his recent able and unanswerable opinion the reasons why this definition is justified. His masterful review of the legislation in the States and the reasons for adopting the standard of one-half of 1 percent of alcohol by volume will continually stand as a stone wall against any attacks made upon the Federal Prohibition Code. The experience in the States shows that the definition of intoxicating liquors is constantly made stronger instead of weaker. This follows because the liquor traffic constantly attempts to defy the law. Every time any leniency is shown toward it, it uses it as a license to violate the main provisions of the prohibitory act. This in turn arouses the people to demand more stringent legislation. The American people are patient and long suffering but when they face squarely the issue of law and order and any attempt to defy orderly government, the majority stand clearly on the right side. This is one of the most hopeful signs of the times.

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By George McManus



hang a hat on them. Pa sed. I was easy thrilled in them days. You must have been, sed Ma. but I nolis it never kep you from playing cards. Well, sed Pa, most of the cards I play is in yure company, with the sailm old crowd, etc., sed Pa. But speaking of that gent from Filadelfy, I guess he wud think marridg was a grate suc-

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The Court of Appeals of New York in *Dougherty vs. Salt* has decided that a promissory note for \$3,000 given to a boy eight years old by his aunt as a gift cannot be collected because there was no consideration, although the printed form of note bore the words: "Value received." Suit was brought on the note after the death of the aunt, and the testimony of the boy's guardian was that the aunt told her nephew on giving him the note, "Do not lose it. Some day it will be valuable." The guardian described the execution of the note as follows: "When she saw Charley coming, in, she said, 'Isn't he a nice boy?' I answered her, 'Yes; that he was getting along very nicely, and getting along nicely in school; and I showed her he had progressed in school, having good reports and so forth, and she told me that she was going to take care of that child; that she loved him very much. I said, 'I know you do, Tillie, but your taking care of the child will be done probably like your brother and sister done, take it out in talk.' She said, 'I don't intend to take it out in talk; I would like to take care of him now.' I said, 'Well, that is up to you.' She said, 'Why can't I make out a note to him?' I said, 'You can, if you wish to.' She said, 'Would that be right?' And I said, 'I do not know, but I guess it would; I do not know why it would not.' And she said, 'Well, will you make out a note for me?' I said, 'Yes, if you wish me to,' and she said, 'Well, I wish you would.'"

The trial Judge dismissed the complaint but the Appellate Division set it aside and gave judgment on the ground that the note was sufficient evidence of consideration. The Court of Appeals holds that the note was "the voluntary and unenforceable promise of an executive gift." Defendant who shot deceased after having been informed of deceased's insulting conduct toward his wife, believing information to be true, may have been under sufficient provocation, regardless of whether information was true. — *Borret v. State, Tex.*, 215 S. W. 858.

If a man in his sound memory commits a capital offense and before arraignment for it becomes mad, he ought not to be arraigned. — *Howie v. State, Miss.*, 82 So. 158.

An applicant for life insurance

cost, are in aid of the gratuitous distribution of the same publications among those who are unable to buy them."

The head of a family, who provides for recreation of its members by furnishing an automobile for their use and pleasure, is responsible for its negligent use by any of family having his permission to drive it. — *Mogile v. A. W. Scott Co., Minn.*, 174 N. W. 832.

A family relationship may exist between one taken into the family by the head of the family, notwithstanding the absence of blood relationship or of legal adoption. — *Nelson v. Poorman's Estate, Mo.*, 215 S. W. 753.

Bank to which coupon Liberty bonds had been intrusted for safekeeping was a gratuitous bailee, and upon theft of bonds was liable only where grossly negligent. — *Merchants' Bank of Vandervoort v. Affholter, Ark.*, 215 S. W. 648.

Farm Life In 1969

Here from the Wichita Beacon is a picture of farming in Kansas fifty years hence as The Beacon believes that it will probably be conducted: "In 1969 the State will be thickly crisscrossed with paved roads over which will be carried in trucks all the local freight; then multiplied ten or fifty fold; including short hauls from farm to the nearest market.

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Ten years ago the average men in South Carolina would have smiled derisively at such a forecast and would have set down any one making it as an idle day-dreamer. The changes of a decade have taught us that the changes here foretold for the populous Middle Western State are not too much to expect here also if only we are up and doing and refuse to let the procession pass us by.

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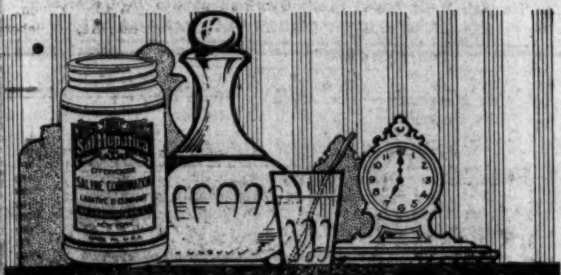
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NEW YORK VIA PANAMA, JAPAN PORTS, AND SAN FRANCISCO.—The Str. Amur Maru, Capt. T. Konishi, will be despatched from the Shanghai wharf on or about April 14. For Freight or Passage, please apply to THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 and 4235.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Kwelin, Captain A. McDowell, will leave on Saturday, March 20, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Tel. No. 77.

TIENSIN and DAIREN via TSINGTAO.—The Str. Keelung Maru, Captain Y. Fukami, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on March 21, at noon. The steam-launch conveying passengers on board will leave the Canton Road, Jetty at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, please apply to THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. No. 4234.

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S.S. "WOOSUNG" sails midnight, March 20th.
S.S. "NGANKIN" sails midnight, March 22nd.

Steamers connect at Hankow with the Company's sailings on the Middle Yangtze and Hunan Lines.

FOR WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENSIN (and PEKING via TIENSIN).
S.S. "TUNGCHOW" sails March 23rd, 3 p.m.
S.S. "CHEKIANG" sails March 25th, 3 p.m.

FOR HONGKONG and CANTON via SWATOW and AMOY.
S.S. "CHENAN" sails March 20th, at 11 a.m.
S.S. "SUIYANG" sails March 22nd, noon.
S.S. "SINKIANG" sails March 25th, daylight.

Steamers connect at Hongkong with services to the Philippines, Indo-China and Australian Ports, also to Bangkok and Singapore.

FOR TSINGTAO.
S.S. "TEAN" sails March 20th, at 11 a.m.

FOR NINGPO.
S.S. "HSIN PEKING" sails March 6th, at 11 a.m. Wednesday and Friday.

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Tons Capt. Arrive Leave
*ANDES MARU 15,000 T. Kamiashi, Mar. 30 April 1
This steamer will not call at Marseilles.

FOR NEW YORK via PANAMA Japan ports, San Francisco, Panama, New York
*AMUR MARU 15,000 T. Konishi, April 12 April 14

FOR NORTH AMERICA (Tacoma, Seattle and Vancouver) via Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.
In connection with the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Ry.
ARABIA MARU T. Saito, April 10 April 11

FOR HONGKONG
AFRICA MARU 18,000 H. Yamamoto, May 11 May 12

FOR SOUTH CHINA PORTS (Tsingtao, Tientsin and Dairen).
KEELUNG MARU 3,000 Y. Fukami, Mar. 19 Mar. 21
KOHOKU MARU 5,000 M. Tsubaki, April 1 April 3

FOR SOUTH CHINA PORTS and FORMOSA (Poochow, Keelung and Takao).
*KEELUNG MARU 3,000 Y. Fukami, Mar. 31 April 2
Passage to Europe or America will not be booked at this port

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West Segovia* Apr. 17 Elkhorn* " 11
West Cahokia* " 30 West Cahokia* " 25

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West Embrie* " 30 Editor* June 4
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GENOA MARU 12,500 Capt. K. Ogura, April 19
SHANGHAI-YOKOHAMA LINE (Via Nagasaki, Moji and Kobe).

YAMASHIRO MARU 7,000 Capt. T. Torada, Mar. 23
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KASUGA MARU 7,000 Capt. K. Inatsu, April 2

FOR JAPAN.
TAMBA MARU 12,500 Capt. K. Itsuno, Mar. 29
SHANGHAI-MOJI, KOBE AND OSAKA LINE (Via Moji).

KUMANO MARU 7,500 Capt. K. Kobayashi, April 3
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OMI MARU 7,000 Capt. S. Ito, Mar. 27
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Date and Destination Per Chl. Br. USA Rns. Jap. Res.

TODAY
H'kong & C'lon...Chenan 10.00 .. 9.30
Swatow & Hongkong...do 10.00 .. 9.30
Hongkong...do 10.00 .. 9.30
W'wai, C'lon, and T'ain...do 9.00 .. 8.30
W'wai, C'lon, and T'ain...do 9.00 .. 8.30
River Ports...Train & Str. 21.00 .. 21.00
Japa Ports...Tsimanook 17.00 .. 16.30
Vladivostok, Russia and Siberia... 17.00 .. 17.00
Swatow & Hongkong...Choyang 21.00 .. 21.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe... 17.00 .. 17.00
Hankow...Fushimi M. 15.30 .. 15.00
W'wai, C'lon, and T'ain...Koonshing 11.00 .. 10.30
W'wai, C'lon, and T'ain... 11.00 .. 10.30

TOMORROW
Japan & Africa via N'aki, Fushimi M. 21.00 .. 21.00
River Ports...Train & Str. 21.00 .. 21.00
Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'ama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe... 17.00 .. 17.00
W'wai, C'lon, and T'ain...Fushimi M. 11.00 10.30 .. 10.30
Monday, March 22.
Japan Ports...T'ahiro M. 19.00 .. 18.30
Vladivostok, Russia and Siberia... 17.00 .. 17.00
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Swatow & Hongkong...Tungchow 14.00 .. 13.30
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Hongkong...E. of Japan 10.00 .. 9.30
Tuesday, March 23.
Hongkong and Canton...Suiyang 11.00 .. 10.30
Hongkong...do 11.00 .. 10.30
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Hongkong...E. of Japan 10.00 .. 9.30
Wednesday, March 24.
Amoy, H'kong & C'lon...Sinkiang 21.00 .. 21.00

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Parcels at 4 p.m. and money on previous day.

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Launch Services
The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat will leave the M.M. jetty (French Bund) at 11 a.m.

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For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per P.M. s.s. Ecuador Mar. 27
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Per M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat Apr. 1
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MAILS DUE
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Tuesday, March 23, 1920
The tender Alexandra conveying passengers and mails on board the C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Japan will leave the Customs jetty at 11 a.m.
The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 12 noon.
Friday, March 26, 1920
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Monday Next: "THE RED GLOVE"

SUPPLY OF STEEL IS REDUCED BY RAIL EMBARGOES

Heavy Shipments Expected When Transportation Situation Is Relieved In U. S.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, February 14 (by mail).—Railroad embargoes and car shortage have cut down the supply of steel. Many mills are out of the market. Present operations are estimated at not over 80 percent of ingot capacity and there are buyers of semi-finished and finished products at practically any price ranging from \$5 to \$20 per ton over the schedule of March 21.

Large stocks have accumulated and heavy shipments are expected to relieve the situation as soon as transportation improves. December exports are estimated to have been about 8 percent of finished steel products. The unfilled tonnage of the U. S. Steel Corporation on January 31 was 9,285,441 tons, an increase of 1,020,075 tons.

PIG IRON DEMAND

There is a heavy inquiry for pig iron. Production is hampered by a short supply of coke and contract deliveries have been so long delayed that foundry men are forced to buy spot iron, but are getting only small quantities. They have been offering nearly \$50 per ton. Basic prices have advanced \$3 to \$5 and foundry grades are up \$3 to \$3.

The copper market is still quiet. Dealers have been selling small lots at 18 1/2 cents to 18 3/4 cents for first quarter. Producers ask 19 cents and 19 1/4 cents for first and second quarters, respectively. Consumers are well supplied and stocks are believed to be accumulating in producer's hands.

LIGHT LEAD OFFERINGS

Lead is strong, and demand fairly active, offerings are light. Production is no more than sufficient to meet requirements.

Zinc is in fair demand from domestic consumers and Europe is expected to enter the market soon. Offerings are not heavy and the price is firm.

Tin, which has been selling freely on a downward scale, is now stronger with less offerings. General consuming demand is good. Sellers ask 58 1/2 cents to 59 1/2 cents for spot and 60 cents to 60 1/2 cents for shipment.

Antimony is active and stronger.

Wedding

RIDDICK-COWEN

Mr. Ivey Goodman Riddick of the British Cigarette Company at Hankow and Miss Margaret Eleanor Cowen of Shanghai, daughter of Mr. J. L. Cowen of the Oriental Press and Mrs. Cowen, were married at Hankow last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Riddick are now in Shanghai.

The ceremony took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Henkel and was performed by the Reverend S. H. Littell of the American Church Mission, Hankow.

The bride, who wore a charming gown of white crepe de chine, carrying a bouquet of white carnations, was given away by Mr. Henkel. Miss Phyllis Gulston was maid of honor, and Mr. Gilliam of the British Cigarette Company, acted as best man.

The ceremony was followed by a quiet reception held at Mr. and Mrs. Henkel's at which a large number of friends were present. After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Riddick left for their honeymoon on a trip to Shanghai.

Amusements

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SHOWING

March 20th to 22nd

and

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DOUGLAS

FAIRBANKS

IN

"REACHING FOR THE MOON"

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PARAMOUNT PICTURE

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